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SANTA CLAUS IS ON HIS WAY

WILL VISIT COLORADO COLLEGE SOMETIME TONIGHT.

SLOCUM TO HANG UP STOCKING

CHRISTMAS GIFTS EXPECTED TO SWELL THE FUND.

$4,530 SUBSCRIBED MONDAY

Two Gifts of $1,000 Each and One of $500 Received—Total Amount Pledged to Date Is $487,987. Appeal to Merchants Issued.

Previously acknowledged	$483,457
F. F. Crump	[illegible]
Whitney & Grimwood	[illegible]
Frank H. Parsons	[illegible]
Mrs. James T. Anderson	[illegible]
Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Kent	[illegible]
The Crissey-Fowler Lumber Co.	[illegible]
Mrs. Charles M. Williams	[illegible]
Miss Harriet E. Pritchard	[illegible]
W. K. Jewett	1,000
A Friend	1,000
F. C. Hayman	100
Prof. Atherton Noyes	[illegible]
Mrs. Charles D. Peabody	25
A Friend	[illegible]
Matthew Kennedy	[illegible]
Henry McCannon	50
Miss Jean Ingersoll (graduate)	100
Mrs. Alfred H. Carpenter	250
A Friend	[illegible]
A Friend	[illegible]
Mr. and Mrs. H. Alexander Smith	[illegible]
Charles T. Wilder	[illegible]
Colorado Springs Transfer Co.	100
Rev. A. E. [illegible] (graduate)	[illegible]
Clarence E. Taylor	20
Louis G. Havens (student Cutler Academy)	[illegible]
J. C. St. John	50
Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Frost	250
Hildreth C. Frost	100
H. M. Carlton	500
Total	$487,987

According to a wireless telegram received late last night from the North Pole, Santa Claus, on his Yuletide flight through Colorado Springs in his big red automobile, "Emlowinena," will make a special stop at 24 College Place about midnight tonight. William F. Slocum, who lives there, will hang out his stocking early, put out the grate fire and leave the porch light burning all night, in preparation for the visit. Mr. Claus has been looking up the record of Colorado College during the last few years, and has found it so excellent that he has decided to add it to his list of thriving young children.

Look for Some Surprises.

Christmas gifts to the Colorado College endowment fund are expected to go a long way toward completing the $50,000 necessary to insure the $500,000 endowment. Hints of subscriptions that will not materialize until tomorrow have been given to many of the canvassers and workers. While there is less than $15,000 still to be raised, the time is short and members of the citizens committee are looking for their hardest work between now and New Years day.

Subscriptions aggregating a total of $4,530 were received yesterday. The majority of these were made during the morning. Two gifts of $1,000, from W. K. Jewett and "A friend," and another of $500 from H. M. Carlton, were comprised in the day's list of gifts. The remainder were of amounts varying from $5 to $250. A feature of the list is the increasing number of gifts that are being received from alumni and students. The larger of these gifts were from Miss Jean Ingersoll and Hildreth C. Frost. The total amount to date is $487,987.

Becoming More General.

Members of the committee are encouraged by the fact that the campaign is becoming more general, and that the names of a large number of the merchants and citizens are included in the lists. They urge the importance of a thorough realization of the magnitude of the movement and a general participation.

"We hope that the citizens generally will lend their assistance," said a member of the citizens committee yester-

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LAWSON IS FOR ROOSEVELT

His Election Is Necessary to Save the Country From Disaster. Money Influence.

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—Thomas W. Lawson tonight asserted that President Roosevelt's [illegible] necessary to save the country from disaster and that any other Republican or even W. J. Bryan would be so satisfactory to New York financial interests that they will will-

THOMAS W. LAWSON.

ingly finance either or both parties through the campaign to any extent necessary."

Mr. Lawson adds that Mr. Bryan is "clean, honest and unpurchasable," but "the money power believes it can discredit him at the very beginning by showing the world his helplessness in handling and controlling a situation which has almost stumped President Roosevelt to handle and control."

SENSATIONAL CHARGES

GOLD SOVEREIGN COMPANY'S FUNDS SQUANDERED.

Stockholder Files Grave Charges Against A. Rapp, President and General Manager.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 23.—Charging fraudulent use of the company's funds, C. E. Jackson, a stockholder, filed suit in the district court today against A. Rapp, president and general manager, and the members of the board of directors of the Gold Sovereign Mining and Tunnel company. Jackson was granted a temporary restraining order, returnable tomorrow.

"The plaintiff alleges that there was to have been a special meeting of the directors today in the city of Cripple Creek, and that the meeting was called for the purpose of taking action beneficial to Mr. Rapp, who, he says, has "by misrepresentation and other means misled the directors and others." He states that the affairs of the company have been mismanaged, that funds have been fraudulently wasted; that money has been received for gold-bearing rock and squandered; that one small dividend has been paid to the stockholders from the accumulation of the former administration; that Mr. Rapp has induced the directors to pay him a salary of $200 a month as general manager, and that his two sons are on the company's pay roll at fancy salaries.

In his own defense, Mr. Rapp stated to The Gazette representative tonight that the move on the part of Mr. Jackson was for the purpose of influencing votes at the coming election to be held by the company, in the interest of a friend. "It's a blackmail scheme," said Mr. Rapp, "and the falsity of the allegations will be proven."

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY

Crew of Ill-Fated B. & O. Train Held Blameless.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A verdict of not guilty was returned by the jury tonight in the case of Engineer Hildebrand, Conductor Hoffmeyer, Fireman McClellan and Brakeman Rudder, the train crew who were indicted for manslaughter in connection with the wreck at Terra Cotta, D. C., on the Baltimore and Ohio, December 30, 1906, in which 43 persons were killed and upward of three score injured. The trial had been in progress for three weeks and the verdict was reached after four hours' deliberation.

MORE APPEALS TO PRESIDENT

GOLDFIELD MINE OPERATORS WON'T GIVE UP.

INSIST ON KEEPING TROOPS

NEW EVIDENCE BEING PRESENTED TO EXECUTIVE.

MAY FORM RANGER COMPANY

If Plan Is Adopted, Special Session of State Legislature Will Be Called. Roosevelt Thinks Nevada Should Take Care of Herself.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 23.—Despite the positive statement which came from Washington today to the effect that the federal troops will be removed from Goldfield on December 30, mine owners have not given up and will appeal again to the President. They will present, they say tonight, some matters which have not yet been laid before him, one of these being with regard to positive evidence that at least one deportation was attempted by the Western Federation of Miners, in which attempt four rifles were used.

While the mine owners were today preparing to send further evidence to the President, Sheriff Ingalls and Captain Cox, the personal representative of Governor Sparks at Goldfield, were conferring on plans for the preservation of law and order after the troops depart. Sheriff Ingalls said tonight that he is seeking at least 50 new men to constitute a force of deputies who will patrol the camp night and day, armed with guns.

Ranger Company Contemplated.

The rumor has been current here that a company of rangers is contemplated, and as this could not be done without action by the legislature, the statement of Captain Cox is taken to mean that if such a plan is decided upon, the legislature will be convened.

A suit against the Western Federation of Miners is to be brought by the Goldfield Mine Operators association in the federal court. An injunction will be asked for, restraining the members of the local miners union, which is affiliated with the Western Federation, from interfering in any way with the operation of the mines in Goldfield. This suit will be filed December 26.

It has been definitely decided that after December 30, each individual mine owner, or each company operating a lease or mine, shall take care of his own property, independent of the association. This will necessitate the putting on of many more guards.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The appeals to President Roosevelt to have federal troops remain in Goldfield, in the opinion of White House officials, indicate a desire on the part of those sending them to rely solely on the national government for protection.

The position the president has taken in the matter is that the state of Ne-

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MONUMENT TO WINFIELD SCOTT STRATTON.

overlooking Stratton Park from a point near the new pavilion. The bronze statue, mounted on a granite pedestal, has just been erected by the executors of the estate. The figure presents a remarkable likeness of the late Colorado Springs millionaire.

TRAINMEN HELD RESPONSIBLE

United States Judge Declares Fireman Was Responsible for Wreck.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—Judge John F. Phillips of the United States court of appeals, today returned a verdict in which a railroad company is held responsible to his employes and to the public for an accident in the case of Henson Collier, a former fireman, who sued the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad for damages for personal injuries received in a wreck.

On that occasion, the Katy flyer was wrecked because a signal was disregarded. The evidence showed that Collier saw the signal but failed to call the attention of the engineer to it.

In summing up his opinion and deciding the case against Collier, Judge Phillips said:

"We feel profoundly impressed with the supreme importance of holding the employes of railroads in position such as engineers and firemen in charge of trains to a rigid accountability for the observance of reasonable and wise rules of the company in the running of trains. A large portion of the frightful disasters on railroads, carrying death and disaster in their wake, are caused by the inattention of employes. Such disasters will not be lessened by damage to those whose inattention to such rules of the master contribute to the misfortune."

FIVE MEN KILLED IN SUBWAY

Explosion of Compressed Air in Tunnel Under River Seine Fatal to Workmen.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Five persons were killed tonight in an explosion of compressed air in the uncompleted Metropolitan subway tunnel under the river Seine, near Notre Dame. The accident was caused by a sudden sinking of a caisson 50 feet below the surface of the water, which forced out of position one of the great head shields. The resulting rush of air, suddenly released, hurled five of the workmen against the concrete wall, killing them outright. The men in other sections of the workings became panicstricken, and a mad fight for the ladder to the exit ensued in the darkness, but all got out in safety.

The river is flooding the workings, causing the earth to fall in in many places throughout the night. The explosion wrecked the pumping apparatus, and a fire engine was hastily installed, but was unable to check the rising water in the tunnel.

TOTAL GOLD ENGAGEMENTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Lazard Freres today announced the engagement of $1,000,000 in gold for import. This makes the total $108,250,000 for the present month.

GOVERNOR HUGHES INDORSED

Republican Club of New York City Will Work in His Interest as Presidential Nominee.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The Republican [illegible] Hughes [illegible] for the Republican presidential nomination and [illegible] throughout the country [illegible] his nomination and election.

[illegible]

[illegible] Republican club of the city of New York indorses Governor Charles E. Hughes as the Republican candidate for the presidency of the United States in 1908 and invites the cooperation of kindred organizations and people generally throughout the state to secure his nomination and election."

HIGH RATES FOR MONEY

Illegal Interest Asked by Missouri Loan Agents.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 23.—After an investigation lasting [illegible] months, during which raids were made on the offices of loan agents, [illegible] by constables [illegible] the grand jury has indicted [illegible] persons charged with illegally loaning money at high rates of interest, some times as much as 10 per cent [illegible] being charged. Those indicted are [illegible] T. [illegible], [illegible] Buchanan, [illegible] M. Milliken, [illegible] M. Ross, D. D. [illegible] and [illegible] son.

BIG RACE ENDS TODAY

SOME CHILD WILL SOON OWN KING AND HIS CART.

Gazette Pony and Runabout to Be Awarded Tomorrow. Final Count Tonight.

This is the last day of the race for The Gazette pony and cart, for which the children are working with such vim and determination. No credits will be accepted after 10 o'clock tonight, when the final count begins. The award will be made on Christmas day.

With the result hanging in the balance, the children have been working with redoubled energy the last few days, for "King" and the runabout compose a Christmas prize well worth striving for. The fate will not be over until the last minute is up.

Following is the standing of the contestants to date:

KIZER, ALTA	107,005
DEACON, PROCTOR	84,270
PARKHILL, EVELYN	47,925
KATHEL, PIERCE	40,895
SMITH, LOUTHAN	31,880
THAETE, MARIE	19,955
FORBES, EDITH	10,005
M'INTYRE, REGINALD	8,175
EUBANK, MYRON	7,860
FIELD, LOUISE	7,480
LEEMAN, FRANK	7,165
PRIMMER, NOBLE	7,275
HEAD, LESTER	7,135
HARLAN, LOUIS	7,005
BASHAM, LOVINA	6,965
DAVIS, STANLEY	5,670
MILLER, JOSEPHINE	5,350
BAILEY, WILIE	5,185
KING, MABEL	5,170
REED, CLYDE	5,135
MILLER, JUSTIN K.	5,295
JONES, JOHN M.	5,075
MITCHELL, RUTH	4,985
SHIELDS, HAZEL	4,870
COATES, ROSCOE	4,665
STURMAN, JAMES	4,520
HUBERT, PAUL	4,455
ANDRESS, IRA	4,330
M'COY, EARL	4,315
DEELUX, NEIL	4,285
SPENCER, FRANK	4,280
FINLEY, JAMES	4,245
SODER, SIEGFRIED	4,180
CANNON, JASPER	4,055
COCKS, CHARLOTTE	4,035
KIMBALL, NINA	3,070
VAN HOOK, JOHN	1,215
PARTON, ROLLAND	160
LOTZ, ERNEST	235
REMINGTON, ALFRED	135
WASSON, EDITH	135
RUNEKE, EDWARD	100
ADAMSON, PAULINE	85
BEAN, HETTA	50
HOLMES, ED	30
GUYER, JOE	25
MORTENSON, CLARENCE	25
BAXTER, LEVI	25
OAKS, HARVEY	25
RYAN, DARREL	20
YOUNG, RALPH	10

LAND GRABBERS TO BE PUNISHED

RIGID INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED.

GRAND JURY GETS EVIDENCE

MORE INDICTMENTS SOUGHT BY U. S. AGENTS.

EMPLOY DUMMY ENTRYMEN

Sensational Developments in Probe Conducted in Denver—January 13 Is Date Set for Trial of Oregon Cases—Heney Visits Roosevelt.

DENVER, Dec. 23.—The result of the raking of Montezuma county by agents of the general land office of Denver is being placed before the federal grand jury, and it is possible that officers and agents of a prosperous lumber company will again be indicted on the charge of illegally absorbing 8,000 acres of timber land.

A large number of witnesses from all parts of Montezuma county was on hand today to give testimony as to the part they took as dummy entrymen and the amount they received for the trouble they underwent in making applications.

It is said that these entrymen received $75 each for filling out applications and making final proof and then turning the land over to the lumber company. The lands have all been patented within two years, and this brings the charges within the criminal statutes of the United States.

Prominent Men Implicated.

The names of men prominent in the business life of Denver are connected with the investigations, and if they succeed in having the indictments returned against them last May quashed, they will have to face additional charges of the same general nature.

It is the opinion of the government officials that unless the whole basis on which previous indictments have been found is knocked out by Judge Lewis' decision, they will be able to make the second charges based on the [illegible] transactions, [illegible].

The grand jurors were skeptical of the two provisions of the United States statutes under which the government wants to prosecute the slayers of Secret Service Agent Walker, and asked for information [illegible].

Treason Usually Required.

It is believed to be the first time in the history of the government that these sections have been invoked [illegible] an attempt made to take away the trial from the state officers. It usually requires treason or some crime on an Indian reservation before anything of the kind is attempted. The grand jury wanted to know why the state was not allowed to go ahead with the prosecution, inasmuch as the guilty ones must be punished the same as if they had been tried under the state laws.

Oregon Fraud Cases.

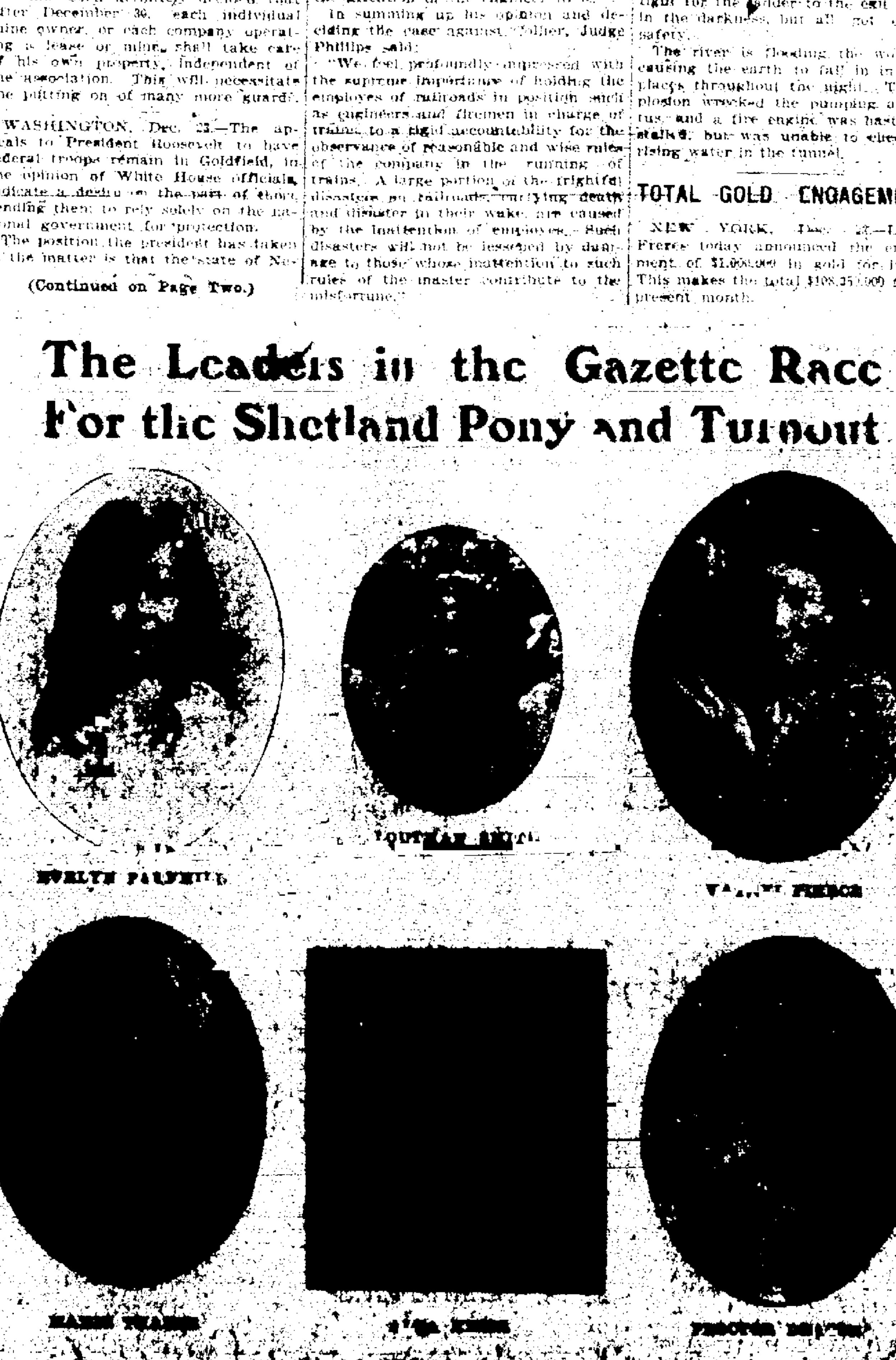
WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—January 13 is the date set for the trial of the land fraud cases in Oregon.

This announcement was made tonight by Francis J. Heney of San Francisco, the special representative of the department of justice, who for some time has been investigating the Oregon land frauds cases, and who will assist in conducting the trial of these cases. This decision was arrived at today at a conference between Attorney General Bonaparte and Mr. Heney, held on their way to Washington from Chicago, where the two met.

Mr. Heney stated that a definite agreement was reached between them in connection with the Oregon land frauds cases, but further than the announcement of the date of the beginning of the trials, Mr. Heney declined to state the nature of the agreement.

An important conference was held at the White House tonight between President Roosevelt and Mr. Heney, at which the statutes of land fraud cases in Oregon were considered, but Mr. Heney declined to say what was the result of his talk with the President. Mr. Heney came here by appointment to see the President. He expects to leave for Portland, Ore., tomorrow.

The Leaders in the Gazette Race For the Shetland Pony and Turnout



EVELYN PARKHILL. LOUTHAN SMITH. [illegible] PIERCE. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] DEACON.

[illegible] points to the credit of [illegible] favorite early [illegible]

IMPORTANT!

"King" is not for sale. Our object in running the coupons of larger value at the end of the race seems to have been misunderstood by some. Our one object during the entire race has been absolute fairness to all concerned, even to the extent of sacrificing our opportunity to do a wholesale business in the sale of extra papers. Remember we have printed none. The object of the large coupons has been purely and simply to depreciate their commercial value, and those that have been hoarded and held for sale will have very little intrinsic value. Thus, to a great extent, the traffic in coupons will be eliminated and the race kept on its original basis—work and merit instead of a brokerage basis. Remember no extra papers are being printed or sold to any one. The effect of the large coupon is to put all contestants [illegible] on an equal footing.

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$10, $12 grade at.................$6.75
$7.50, $8 grade at.................$4.75

BATH ROBES

$8.50 grade at.................$6.50
$7.00 grade at.................$5.50

Boys' and Children's Overcoats

$5.00 grade at.................$2.90
$7.50 grade at.................$4.75
$10.00 grade at.................$6.50

NECKWEAR

75c and $1.00 grade at.................50c
50c grade, 35c; 3 for.................$1.00

MUFFLERS

$1.00 grade at.................75c
75c grade at.................50c

MEN'S AND BOYS' SUSPENDERS

75c grade at.................50c
$1.00 grade at.................75c
$1.50 grade at.................$1.00

On all our high grade Clothing for Men and Boys, we offer the entire stock at

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Best Values for the Greatest Day of the World's Calendar

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1/4 Off on the Dollar

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT **The May Co** THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

SANTA CLAUS IS ON HIS WAY

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day. They can make use of the subscription blanks running a few day in The Gazette, [illegible] any amount they may feel able to give. No one need hold back because of the size of his gift. We appreciate any amount and a large number of small gifts helps as much in securing the $500,000 at which we are aiming as a few large pledges.

Appeal to Merchants.

A direct and pointed appeal to the merchants of the city was made yesterday by R. [illegible] [illegible] of the citizens' [illegible]. In the [illegible] he makes a concise statement of conditions from a business point of view.

The maintenance of the college and the expenditures of the faculty and students [illegible] computed [illegible] to $30,000 [illegible] $35,000 a month.

If the college was discontinued it would mean a very considerable shrinkage in the volume of local trade. Our merchants would feel it.

Increase the attendance [illegible] bring it to meet the rapidly increasing demands being made upon it and the volume of local trade will be increased [illegible] an average of $400 per annum for each student.

An increase of only one hundred students each year for a few years (and estimate [illegible] been [illegible] of two hundred) [illegible] merchants.

Increased attendance [illegible] increase in faculty—more families in the city directly identified with the institution. More buildings will be required—more labor and material.

[illegible]

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. [illegible]

MORE APPEALS TO PRESIDENT

[illegible] Saturday withdrawing the [illegible] December 30 will not be [illegible]

After a consultation with President [illegible] today Senator Nixon of Nevada expressed it as his opinion that the president could not very well modify his order directing the withdrawal of troops. The question of [illegible] Goldfield the [illegible] under active consideration [illegible] be impossible to [illegible] the Western Federation of Miners will not be [illegible] this trouble [illegible]

TO PREVENT THE GRIP

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE [illegible] To get the genuine [illegible] and look for signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION

Over a Thousand Foreigners Turned Back for Various Causes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A [illegible] over the same period last year in the immigration from all countries is shown in the November statement of the bureau of immigration. [illegible] 71,478 immigrants arrived [illegible] ports against 84,724 in November, 1906. In addition, there were 1,531 [illegible] turned back for various [illegible].

The total immigration from all countries for the six months [illegible] 30 was 868,374, an increase of 15 per cent. Only two more Japanese came to the United States in November, 1907, than in November, 1906, the figures being placed at 1,492 and 1,490 respectively.

NECHE, N. D., Dec. 23.—Arthur Leckie, a Great Northern fireman, was murdered last night. His body was found under the ice at the Great Northern dam, whither it had been dragged from a river bank 100 feet away. Robbery is believed to have been the motive.

Do Not Trifle With a Cold

Is good advice for man and woman. It may be vital in the case of a child. Long experience has proven that there is nothing better for colds in children than

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RAPID WORK ON CANAL

COLONEL GOETHALS IS MAKING RAPID PROGRESS.

Isthmus Has Been Free From Yellow Fever for Eighteen Months

WASHINGTON, Dec. [illegible].—[illegible] the Panama canal [illegible] has [illegible] rising to states [illegible] presented [illegible] it is shown that [illegible] the commission [illegible] material equal [illegible] building [illegible] constructing the road connecting the [illegible] with the quarry [illegible] build the Suez canal at the present rate of progress [illegible] though it took 13 years [illegible] Lesseps to complete his work. [illegible] Manchester ship canal will be excavated by the American [illegible] workers in just two months and [illegible] Wilson magnificent [illegible] could be dug by the Americans [illegible] just five years.

According to the latest health report [illegible] Panama the Isthmus has been free from yellow fever for more than [illegible] months and there has been a steady [illegible] continued improvement in the health conditions. Comparing the death [illegible] the year up to December [illegible] for the corresponding period [illegible] 1906 there has been a 60 per cent decrease, the figures being for this year [illegible] per thousand against 30.61 last year. The sick rate also showed a marked improvement, being [illegible].49 for November against 26.90 for October, 1906.

$1,000,000 DAMAGES ASKED

Pennsylvania Railroad Company Made Defendant

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 23.—The Pennsylvania Railroad company today was made defendant in suits for over $1,000,000 damages brought by the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke company and the Webster Coal and Coke company. The allegation is made that for four years the railroad company has discriminated against the prosecutors in the matter of coal cars, and that rebates have been granted to the Glen White Coal company. The two companies are operated under the management of the Pennsylvania Beech Creek and Eastern Coal and Coke company, which is supposed to be controlled by the New York Central railroad company.

The coal combination, operates perhaps two [illegible] mines in this section of the state, [illegible]

[illegible] AT THE HUB

Holiday shoppers will do well to visit the Hub to look for their last [illegible] of holiday [illegible] and clothing. This store [illegible] offering [illegible] private [illegible] at the lowest prices. [illegible] the demands [illegible] the superior line of reasonable goods. Buyers are always sure of what they get at the Hub. It can always be depended upon for quality. If you have not selected your gifts or if you wish to make a money saving purchase on everyday wearing apparel, visit the popular store today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Because of increased demand for docking facilities there plans have been prepared at the navy department for a third dry dock at the Boston navy yard. It is proposed to construct a dock 900 feet in length with breadth and depth at the entrance sufficient for any ship [illegible]

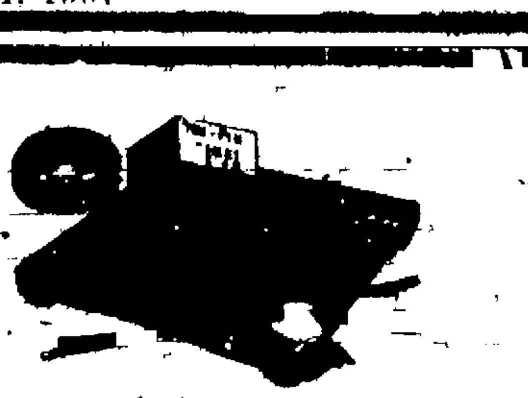
TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

[illegible] prize winner [illegible] Nevada avenue.

FUNERAL—From the Congregational church in Fountain yesterday af[illegible] [illegible] who last Thursday in Edgeton [illegible] shot his divorced wife Mrs. [illegible] Collins and then killed himself, was held under the auspices of Fountain camp No. 327 W. O. W. The funeral of Mrs. Collins was held at Edgemont on Sunday.

GIFT TO J. A. HAYES—Members of the Mining Stock exchange yesterday morning presented J. A. Hayes with a beautiful sachet as a token of appreciation of his services as a member of the governing board since its organization. The flower measures three feet across and is one of the finest of its kind in the city. Regular Christmas holidays will be observed by dispensing with the call on the exchange tomorrow.

[illegible] Laxative Bromo Quinine [illegible] E. W. Grove [illegible]



At the Eleventh Hour

The big store is teeming with bargains in Holiday Goods. Cut prices is the slogan for today. Come early, as the best things go first.

Kaufman's

EVERYTHING FOR EVERYBODY.

LEGGINGS—Children's all wool Astrachan Leggings, six colors, ten-button length, regular $1.25. Today **95c**

MEN'S SLIPPERS—Black and tan kid in [illegible] everett styles, regular $1.75. Today **1.35**

MEN'S SHIRTS—The celebrated Kaufman $1.50 Negligee Shirt with cuffs [illegible] Perfect fitting. Today **1.29**

FURS—Muffs and Neck Pieces [illegible] and the best [illegible] always [illegible] discount today **25%**

AXMINSTER RUGS—[illegible] the [illegible] patterns [illegible] the [illegible] regular price $[illegible]. Today **22.85**

SMYRNA RUGS—Size [illegible] smooth [illegible] $[illegible].50. Today **1.89**

TOILET SETS [illegible] discount [illegible] **10%**

BOYS' [illegible] pull down [illegible]. Today **37c**

MEN'S SWEATERS [illegible]. Today **2.25**

DOLL CAB [illegible] springs [illegible] $[illegible]. Today **1.15**

CENTENNIAL WAGON—[illegible] Regular price $[illegible]. Today **1.75**

GIRLS' SLED—Large size heavily built with steel [illegible] Regular price 75c. [illegible] **59c**

TOY CHAIR—[illegible] Regular price [illegible]. Today **23c**

MECHANICAL [illegible] Today **18c**

STUFFED ANIMALS—Assorted dogs, cats and rabbits. Regular price 25c. Today **15c**

MEN'S VESTS—Take your choice of a [illegible] style fancy Vest at [illegible] discount today **20%**

ART GOODS—[illegible] work [illegible] today **25%**

CUT GLASS—[illegible] jugs [illegible] discount today **20%**

ELECTROLIERS—New designs in [illegible] glass [illegible] other combinations makes a [illegible] discount today **25%**

UMBRELLAS—Women's [illegible] with gold and silver mounted or natural stick handles. Regular price $1.98. Today **1.62**

FRAMED PICTURE—Size [illegible] kindred horse subjects in molded black frame—[illegible] Regular price 98c. Today **69c**

NEW BOOKS—Hurst's popular edition [illegible] works of fiction, novels, etc. Our regular 35 cent book. Today **23c**

PHOTO FRAMES—Beautiful oval gilt picture frames for cabinet photos, easel and medallion styles. Our regular 35 cent frame. Today **23c**

STATIONERY—Hurd's Highland [illegible] and Old Mission linen 60 sheets paper and 60 envelopes packed in neat box. Regular [illegible] cents box. Today **29c**

WHITE TISSUE PAPER—For [illegible] king and wrapping Christmas boxes and packages, per dozen sheets today **5c**

BACK COMBS—Sample line of new amber and tortoise shell plain and mounted Combs worth up to $1.00. Today **39c**

SILK SHAWLS—All sizes, cream, white and black imported Silk Shawls and Scarfs [illegible] cents to $10.00 at a discount today **25%**

HOLLY RIBBON—All silk, red or green borders, 3½ inches wide. Regular 30 cents. Today **25c**

BEADED PURSE—Large size illuminated beaded bag, gold plated frame and chain. Regular $1.75. Today **1.23**

DRUMS—6-inch size, sheepskin heads, fancy sides. Complete with sticks. Regular price 25c. Today **10c**

TEDDY BEARS—Largest size, good fur, your choice of white or cinnamon color. Regular price $3.50. Today **2.89**

KID DOLL—Best kid body, with shoes and stockings, good bisque head with side parted hair and sleeping eyes. Regular price $[illegible]. Today **69c**

TOY TRUNK—Large size, fancy paroline covered trunk. Very strong and well finished. Regular price $4.50. Today **3.65**

The Day Before Christmas At Hardy's

WE begin today, the last shopping day before Christmas, with a store full of good things for Christmas.

We have kept the wires busy for weeks, and the express companies as well, in order to provide ample assortments from which to choose at this late hour.

Our patrons who shop here, especially before noon, today will find almost as complete a stock as at any time.

Again may we suggest—"Shop Early."

We solicit your trade today.

MORE VAN BRIGGLE POTTERY FOR TODAY.

Some fifty new pieces of Van Briggle Pottery from the special Christmas kiln came down yesterday morning, and a further supply of as many vases were added in the afternoon. So we have, for the day before Christmas, the finest assortment of Pottery we have had at any time.

The lot contains many new things in turquoise, blue, cream, and other light tints suitable for gifts, at prices ranging from $2.00 to $10.00 each.

Early shoppers will have the first choice of the new pieces.

Isn't it great to have all the Van Briggle Pottery we need the day before Christmas?

MORE FUJIURA WARE.

We received yesterday another small lot of Fujiura bronze and hand-wrought copper in trays, vases, jardinieres, etc., at 65c to $15.00 per piece.

Every piece an original.

IN THE NICK OF TIME.

Yesterday's express brought us another supply of those charming gift volumes, "The Beauties of Friendship," "All That's Lovely," and "Good Fellowship" in ooze leather bindings.

One patron purchased three more copies of "Friendship" yesterday, after having purchased six copies before.

"Good Fellowship" sells, in leather, at $1.00; the other two at $1.25 per copy.

We still have an ample supply of them in the card binding at 50c.

Isn't this fine for the day before Christmas?

MORE OF THE PETER RABBIT SERIES.

Twenty-five more copies of the charming little Peter Rabbit Art Series of Child Books came yesterday.

They cannot last long on the day before Christmas.

Price, 50 cents.

"DAYS OFF."

Another small lot of Dr. Van Dyke's book, "Days Off," came yesterday. Price, $1.50.

"A DREAM OF FAIR WOMEN."

Still another lot of Harrison Fisher's superb new book, "A Dream of Fair Women," came yesterday.

The last copy is sure to be gone long before night.

Price, $3.00.

SPECIALS TODAY.

All our Christmas Stationery will be closed out today at 25 per cent discount.

The balance of The Hunt and Japanese Calendars will go today at 25 per cent off.

Still a few $1.50 copyright books left at 50 cents.

CATHOLIC PRAYER BOOKS.

We have a full line of Catholic Prayer Books suitable for gifts.

50c to $4.00 each.

THE COLLEGE CALENDAR.

Have you seen the new College Calendar?

It is dandy, and costs only 25 cents.

MOUNTED PENS.

What could be handsomer for a gift to a man or a girl than a Solid Silver Mounted Fountain Pen?

We have a thousand dollar stock to choose from.

All standard makes and all guaranteed.

A gift box, a clip and a bottle of ink thrown in.

OPEN TONIGHT.

This store will be open until midnight tonight, if necessary, to accommodate you on the day before Christmas.

6 South Tejon Street

Xmas Novelties ½ Price

One table full of Toilet Cases, Picture Frames, Picture Albums, Work Boxes, Brush and Comb Sets, Silver and Gold Trays and many other novelties. Anything on this table exactly half marked price.

Table No. 2, ⅓ off Regular Price

This table contains all kinds of Collar and Cuff Boxes, Japanese Wooden Novelties, Leather Collar Bags, Shaving Sets, Gents' Toilet Sets and other delightful Xmas wares. One-third off marked price, anything on this table.

Table No. 3, ¼ off Regular Price

This lot includes all high class novelties, such as genuine French Stag Toilet Sets, Gold and Silver Brush and Comb Sets, Gold and Silver Jewel Cases, Cut Glass, Hat Pin Holders, Gold Mirrors and Picture Frames, Electric Lamps, all new goods, and we never heretofore have marked them so reasonable, but they must all go. So come and get them at one-fourth off regular price.

Extra Special

A delayed shipment of Ladies' Neckwear reached us last night that we should have had two weeks ago. This lot contains two gross Ladies' Stock Collars, made of chiffon lace and ribbons, trimmed with beads and other neck ornaments. These were bought to sell at 75c and $1.00. They must be sold today. Come and get your pick at

50c

Xmas goods at one-half, one-third and one-fourth off regular price today.

PELTA'S DEPARTMENT STORE

JUSTICE IS HONORED

HARLAN DINED BY KENTUCKY ASSOCIATION.

Roosevelt, Fairbanks, Cannon and Others Praise Noted Justice in Letters of Regret.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Justice Harlan of the United States supreme court made a notable address tonight at the dinner given at the Hotel Plaza by the Kentucky association—notable as an expression from one of the foremost authorities of the country in answer to recent criticisms on the tendency of the federal government to enlarge its powers beyond the limits laid down by the federal constitution. The dinner was largely attended and Justice Harlan was warmly greeted.

President Roosevelt's letter, which was read, was as follows:

"All that I can do is to extend my heartiest good wishes to the diners and the assurance of my very sincere and earnest esteem and good will to that fine old American patriot, that admirable public servant, Justice Harlan, who, in the army and on the bench in life, has stood for what is highest in American citizenship."

Vice President Fairbanks, in a letter expressing regret that he could not attend, wrote:

"You need no assurance that I would be very glad indeed to accept, were it possible for me to do so, but an engagement here for the night of your event renders it impossible for me to join with your society in honoring that great Kentuckian and great American, Justice Harlan, who holds rank among the greatest men who have presided in the supreme court of the United States."

Speaker Cannon, in a letter expressing his regrets that he could not be present, wrote that he had hoped to attend "not only because the banquet is to be under the auspices of 'the Kentuckians,' but also because it is to be in honor to Justice Harlan, who has so splendidly lived up to and still lives up to the noblest traditions of his native state, and who has added so much to the imperishable fame of the great tribunal of which he is a member."

Telegrams of regret from Attorney General Bonaparte, Secretary Taft and Governor Hughes were read. When the name of Governor Hughes was mentioned, many of the diners stood up and cheered, the demonstration lasting several minutes. A pretty touch was added to the function when Mr. Carlisle said that while the guests were gratified to have Mr. Harlan, he knew that all of them would be glad to see Mrs. Harlan on an occasion, which, while in honor of her husband, also was the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. A storm of applause greeted Mrs. Harlan, who, from a balcony, blushingly acknowledged it with a smile and a nod of her head.

Justice Harlan prefaced his set speech with a loving tribute to his wife. He told of the happiness of their wedding day and said happiness had followed them all through life.

At the close of this tribute, the applause was loud and long. Then the band struck up Mendelssohn's wedding march. More cheering followed this and a rendition of "My Old Kentucky Home."

NEGROES PANIC STRICKEN

ALBANY, Dec. 23.—A dispatch from Kestler, where a negro secret society hall was blown to atoms with a charge of dynamite, several days ago, state that two other halls in the county near Kestler were dynamited Friday night. They were demolished. At least five halls have been demolished within a month. There is terror among the negroes, who believe that white men are dynamiting the halls on account of the difficulty in procuring labor.

SECTION HAND HAD MONEY

More Than Three Thousand Dollars Found in Coat After Death.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—The Chicago police found $3,036 in securities in the lining of the working coat of David Ehler, a section hand employed on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, who was struck by a switch engine and killed in the railroad yards here tonight. The source of Ehler's wealth is a mystery, as not even his wife was aware that he possessed anything above the small wages he received.

LISBON, Dec. 23.—Premier Franco is planning to reorganize the Portuguese house of peers and transfer the judicial powers now exercised by the house to the courts.

The Springs Store

Too busy to say much. Only a few reminders for the last day.

We want to begin it early. Promptly at 8 o'clock we start our last Wool Sale on second floor. Do not overlook this important fact you save so much by coming early that it pays to get up.

Tuesday Morning on Second Floor From 8 to 10:30

You can't present a woolburner anything more welcome than one or more of the numerous articles found in this last big shipment.

OUTFITS ON SALE DURING THE SALE ALSO.

NOVELTIES.

One entire counter in Notion section HALF PRICE.

BURNT LEATHER.

A nice lot of various articles, all selling less one-fourth off.

FANCY BOXES.

Sets Novelties of every description less 20 per cent regular.

ALL PICTURES
20 per cent off.
SUITS AND CLOAKS

From 30 to 50 per cent off.

Do not miss coming to the Springs Xmas Store today, and visit Toyland.

THE COLORADO SPRINGS DRY GOODS CO.

Remember the Poor At Christmas Time

Give a few tons of coal to worthy families. We will deliver them Christmas morning with your card attached.

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Nothing pleases like a Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen.

We sell all Pens with privilege of exchanging after holidays if not suited to the hand.

Buy your Xmas bells and garlands and other Xmas necessities of us.

Special prices on all Holiday Goods today as we do not care to hold anything over.

Stationery Department

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HARDEN TRIAL OPEN TO PUBLIC

After Testimony of Divorced Wife of Count Von Moltke, Doors Are Thrown Open.

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—The hearing of the Harden-Von Moltke case was resumed here today, the morning session being behind closed doors, but in the afternoon the court was reopened to the public after the examination of Frau Von Elbe, the divorced wife of Count Von Moltke. During the course of the examination the woman modified her former testimony to such a surprising degree as to influence the position of the defense to a considerable extent, many of Harden's assertions against Von Moltke being based upon her previous declarations.

Frau Von Elbe withdrew some of her statements derogatory to Count Von Moltke's character and gave, to other statements which she had made, entirely different meaning than previously implied. Her physicians, being called to the stand, testified that she suffered from neuritis, and a medical expert, Dr. Hirschfield, who had at the first trial declared that Count Von Moltke was abnormal, thereupon withdrew his expert opinion, which had been given after the sworn testimony of Frau Von Elbe on that occasion.

Detectives, who also were put on the stand today, gave evidence to the effect that nothing definite was known against Von Moltke relative to any abnormality.

The court appointed one of the ... to proceed to Munich to take evidence against the reliability of Frau Von Elbe from Herr Harden's intimate friend, Professor Schweninger, who was Chancellor Von Bismarck's physician and who introduced her to Harden after hearing her sweeping assertions.

The case was adjourned until Friday.

AGED VETERANS MEET

SURVIVORS OF INDIAN MUTINY GATHER AT LONDON.

Preserved Indian Empire for Great Britain—Youngest Member Past Sixty Years Old.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—"The remnant of that desperate host," as Kipling described the veterans of the Indian mutiny, gathered this afternoon in Albert hall, to the number of more than 700, to commemorate the golden jubilee of the struggle which ended in the Indian empire being saved to Great Britain.

On the pension roll in the war offices are the names of 1,200 survivors of the mutiny, to each of whom an invitation was sent for the reunion, but old age prevented many from attending. Those who could travel, including officers and men, came from every corner of the United Kingdom, and with breasts covered with medals, they made a brave showing as they drew up outside the hall to be reviewed by Lord Roberts.

The youngest among the veterans was 65 years of age, he having been a drummer boy during the fight, and even today he looked to be a youngster as compared with his companions bowed with the weight of years. The review was brief, as the infirmities of the veterans prevented them from standing long in line, so, headed by the field marshal, they marched to Albert hall, the galleries of which were filled with cheering crowds, and sat down to a banquet.

Lord Roberts, who presided, read a telegram from the king, who expressed the appreciation of the whole empire for the services rendered by the army of which the veterans were members. Lord Curzon, chancellor of Oxford university, gave the toast, "The Survivors of the Mutiny," and Lewis Waller, the actor, recited verses and poetry written by Rudyard Kipling, of which the following is one:

Today across our father's graves,
The astonished years reveal
The remnant of that desperate host
Which cleansed our East with steel.

ATHLETES IN ROLE OF HEROES

Members St. Louis University Football Team Care for Injured Team Crews.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 23.—St. Louis university football athletes made heroes of themselves before daylight this morning near Brocket station, on the Canadian Pacific, when they arrived on their way to the coast, 20 minutes after a headon collision between two freight trains. The engine crews and trainmen were under the debris, some of them scalded frightfully by escaping steam.

Medical student members of the team set to work to rescue the victims and materially aided, though working against the escaping steam, in saving life and limb. They operated on three of the crushed trainmen. Brakeman Ormsbee was crushed to death and Fireman Chris Von Wald and G. McKinnon were so badly injured that they may die. The wreck was caused by the failure to deliver orders on the part of the Brocket operator, who afterwards fled.

GOV. HUGHES IMPROVING

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Governor Hughes, who has been suffering from an attack of grippe, was reported today as improving. It is likely, however, that he will remain in the executive mansion all of this week.

YOUR Christmas Shopping

While we are crowded with shoppers, we have added extra clerks, extra cashiers, and will make special effort to wait on you with our customary courtesy and promptness.

The ... *The Emporium*

Too Risky

A hard chill, pain through the ... "If this should be ... send for ... doctor. ... Chilly Pectoral. ...

Help Colorado College Secure Its Endowment

[illegible]

Personal Mention

Loring Lennox returned yesterday from a visit to his sister in Honolulu.

G. H. L...n, commercial agent of the Colorado & Southern, was called to ... serious illness of his father.

D. B. Fairley returned yesterday from Seattle, where he has been for the last nine months. Mr. Fairley has property interests in Seattle. He says ... very little effect on the ... conditions ...

... Boyer, who recently struck ... in the ... of the ore. He is ...

Tomorrow is Christmas

Have you ... every ... whom you have forgotten ... about what to give ...

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AN EARLY CAMPAIGN.

IT is evident that we are to have a long Presidential campaign this time. In at least two states the party managers have arranged to have the state conventions for the selection of delegates to the national convention held in February and probably none will be held later than May. No announcement about the Colorado state convention has yet been given out but it is not unlikely that it will be held somewhat earlier than usual.

In many states the campaign is really on now on the Republican side. Among the Democrats there is no special activity, because there is no doubt of the result—everybody now concedes the nomination to Bryan and it is probable that he will be made the unanimous choice of the convention. But among the Republicans there has been no such bustle since 1888. In 1904 Roosevelt's nomination was a foregone conclusion. McKinley's was almost as much so in 1896 and was inevitable and heartily unanimous in 1900. In 1892 the struggle was comparatively tame—the odds in favor of renomination were too great. In fact one may go back to 1880 or perhaps even to 1876, to find a parallel for the present situation in the Republican party.

The fight is on now in Ohio. Secretary Taft has come home none too soon for the Foraker men have been very active while he was gone. They have arranged for early conventions in some districts they have made alliances wherever possible, and the Senator has thrown himself into the fray with his accustomed vigor and vehemence. Apparently he has now the unqualified support of his colleague Senator Dick. That was expected, however, although Senator Dick had not declared himself openly until this week. Next to Mr Taft himself the leader on that side is Congressman Burton. Most of the state machine if not all parts of it will be for Foraker and the machine in Ohio is very strong. If Taft is to overcome it there must be a popular sentiment big enough to beat the machine in its stronghold.

TAFT MAY WIN WITHOUT HIS OWN STATE. The result in Ohio will not necessarily be decisive of Mr Taft's candidacy. Other states are going to be for him. The Missouri state central committee pledged itself to him the other day, and Missouri has a good many votes in a national convention and may very likely give its electoral vote to the Republican candidate. There are other states for him, too though we believe none have declared so openly for him as Missouri. Still a candidate without the indorsement of his home state is in an unfortunate position.

Of course the reason for the earliness of the campaign is the uncertainty of the result and the remarkable number of candidates. There have been conventions before where there were half a dozen candidates but hardly one in which there were half a dozen of the caliber of Taft, Hughes, Knox, Fairbanks, Cannon and Foraker. Opinions may differ on this point but take a look back and see. In 1876 there were Blaine, Morton, Bristow, Conkling, Hayes and Hartranft—that being the order in which they stood on the first ballot. Four of the six were from New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana as four of the six are this year. In 1880, there were only two real candidates before the convention met—Grant and Blaine. The others held just about enough delegates to make a deadlock between the two leaders and it was not until the thirty-sixth ballot that a majority managed to unite on Garfield whose name had not even been mentioned on the first ballot. In 1884 there were Blaine, Arthur, Edmunds, Logan, Sherman and Hawley. In 1888 more names were voted for than at any other convention no less than eighteen showing in the ballots at one time or another, but the real contest was between Sherman, Gresham and Harrison, Alger and Allison being the next two.

From this time on there will be great activity and within two months much more will be known as to the comparative strength of the candidates. As things look now, however no one candidate will be strong enough to prevent a real struggle on the floor of the convention.

BEATING THE AIR

A new magazine has been started in Chicago backed apparently by abundant capital the object of which seems to be to drive Mr Roosevelt from public life. The first number contains no less than four articles which are filled with abuse and criticism of his policies and his personality. The leading one is entitled "Theodore Roosevelt—Destroyer" and a big placard has been issued as an advertisement, [illegible] posted up everywhere, containing this legend.

If this thing had been done six months ago, one [illegible] Roosevelt has definitely withdrawn himself from [illegible] it is hard to say what is [illegible]

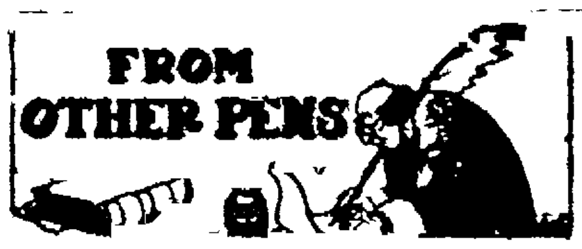
[illegible]

A new magazine is issued in the interests of the Bonafides, who fear that some of Mr Roosevelt's policies will be carried on by his successor. Its batteries may be turned next on Mr Taft, who is supposed to be favored by the President, and who has certainly indorsed the policies of the present Administration in an outspoken way, or against Mr Knox who has said that not a law has been passed under the auspices of this administration which has not been upheld by the court of last resort. In that case, it will be working apparently in the interests of Mr Bryan. In any case, we do not believe its influence will be great. It is unquestionably the popular belief that whatever unrest may have been caused by Mr Roosevelt's policies much good has been done and no distinctively backward steps will be tolerated.

Public men who were humorous have probably been better appreciated in this country than in any other. It is perhaps a little odd then, that Secretary Bonaparte almost always seems to get taken the wrong way. There is something about his jokes that does not seem to tickle the popular fancy. Even the story that was put out the other day about an underground movement to make him a Presidential candidate on a platform declaring for the extinction of all criminals was probably taken seriously by most of those who read it. Mr Bonaparte came into public office late and seems to have brought with him a habit of discussing affairs as if he were making an after dinner speech.

Mr Bonynge has introduced a bill to put a subtreasury in Denver. Probably nobody expects it to pass this time but it may be just as well to make the folks in Washington sit up and take notice that Colorado is here ready for anything she can get and not particularly backward about asking for it. When you come to think of it Denver would be an excellent place for a subtreasury. The location is just right—about midway between the Mississippi Valley and the Pacific coast and it would be a convenient point for the whole mountain country.

[illegible] Sparks is evident that the President made a mistake in [illegible] the troops back from Goldfield. [illegible] there [illegible] trouble and perhaps the troops will have to come back but Sparks doesn't seem to see that he has any responsibility or duty in the matter except to ask the President for help. That was not the way Peabody acted in this state. Here the appeals to the President came from the other side. If Nevada is not state enough to do a little police duty she had better go out of business.



ANOTHER JAPANESE SPY

From the Washington Star

It was very fortunate that the Japanese spy who was operating near Norfolk with pencil and paper did not complete his work. The effect of his disclosures to the Japanese foreign office might have been fatal to this country. He must be run down and locked up. Such a man should not be allowed his liberty in this country. Who knows but that if he is allowed to tarry in our midst he may not purchase and forward to Japan a map of the United States showing just where Norfolk is and how a Japanese fleet bent on destruction to our south Atlantic coast line should approach it? How these Japanese spies do multiply in America!

WOMEN IN POSTOFFICES

From the New York Times

In the smaller postoffices throughout the country women have served well as postmistresses. They have been methodical, expeditious, courteous and honest. The wages are small and the hours long but the work is not often hard. As for that reputed failing of all womankind curiosity, it is shared equally by the men. Postmasters read the postal cards and gossip about the superscriptions of letters as frequently as postmistresses do.

We never believed the story of the postmistress who having handed a postcard through the window exclaimed "Oh please hand that back for a minute Mr Brown. I hadn't read it."

The movement against postmistresses which has begun in Georgia and is to be opposed in Congress by Senator Clay and others threatens to become general. It is purely political of course. A postmistress is of no political consequence in her district. We hope to see the movement fail. It is reactionary and its success would be detrimental to the public welfare. The political postmaster is a nuisance.

A WILKIE COLLINS PLOT

From the New York Times

The mystery of the supposed Fairfax-Carroll child, adopted by the Marquis and Marquise De Montferrier in its present state of development suggests the plot of a romance of the Wilkie Collins kind. There is evidence to show that the child was a scion of two illustrious Virginia families and [illegible] good evidence to show that it was nothing of the sort.

Its origin is involved in mystery as well as the manner of its adoption or its present whereabouts. The Marquise De Montferrier [illegible] that she and her husband have [illegible] Mrs Baker in whose house in Winchester the Montferriers are said to have found the child and who crossed the ocean with the [illegible] was born to William Fairfax and Elizabeth Carroll. Others say the mother of the girl was another woman named Carroll who was unmarried.

The clear fact is that [illegible] a child that a supposed Marquis De Montferrier and his wife adopted it and that it was taken to [illegible] France. That is all simple enough but the suggestions of the foundations of romance in the tale as it is now told are many and bewildering.

CANNED MUSIC

From the New York Times

The composers of music whose product is used in the records of self-playing musical instruments and talking machines or phonographs certainly have a fair cause for complaint if, as they assert their music is "canned" for storage without their consent and without payment to them. If music is good enough or popular enough to be profitably used in these records its composers are surely entitled to payment. Probably they could be protected by some other law than that relating to copyright.

Canned music, the term is Mr Sousa's invention and an admirably expressive one, has been abused a great deal and made needlessly offensive. But all who have seriously thought about the self-playing piano and the improved phonograph know that they are effective instruments in the spread of culture. Appreciation of the best music is largely growing through their influence.

The sensitive virtuoso condemns them, and in so doing places himself with the mechanic who condemns [illegible] machinery. As a matter of fact [illegible]

WILL RECEIVE MAIL ADDRESSED TO SANTA CLAUS

From the Philadelphia Inquirer

It may be supposed that the Philadelphia lady who requested the delivery at her house of all mail addressed to Santa Claus was prompted by the purpose of gratifying to the extent of her ability the wishes therein expressed. It was a kindly thought. Among the children who are moved to attempt an epistolary communication with the patron saint of the Christmas season are doubtless many whose happiness is safe in the hands of their natural protectors. But there are others less fortunately situated. There are children, too many of them, who feel themselves excluded from a share in the general rejoicing who have either lost their parents or whose parents are unable or unwilling to give them what they want, and who having learned from previous disappointments how little they have to expect turn with that touching confidence which is one of childhood's most distinctive and prepossessing traits to the unseen beneficence of which they have been told and in which they incline to [illegible]

It is probable from correspondents such as these that most of the letters addressed to Kriss Kringle or Santa Claus proceed and these artless, ingenuous missives have a pathos to which no right-minded man or woman can be insensible. In a very special manner and with a very special appropriateness Christmas is the festival of childhood. It is from the joy with which childhood enters into its observance that it derives its chief significance and its greatest value. If the pleasure of the child is eliminated from the occasion what is there from the social point of view worth preserving left?

Old Scrooge to whom the recurrent feast was much more of a nuisance to be endured than of a holiday to be enjoyed, did not lack for arguments to defend his attitude. He could say that at Christmas he was called upon to spend money which he had worked hard and stinted himself to save in a manner which to him appeared a wasteful and foolish extravagance. He could say that wherever he turned the Christmas season put him to inconvenience. The cars were full the streets were crowded, the stores were so busy that buying was a trouble and wherever he looked he could not escape seeing the extended hand.

That was the Scrooge view of it a view inspired by a selfishness which cut him off from communion with his fellows and shut him up in a solitude into which the loving prattle and merry laughter of childhood never entered. The thought of Tiny Tim was different. It was "God bless us every one" and happily it is to the latter sentiment that the majority respond. It is because there are many Tiny Tims in Philadelphia whom fortune has [illegible] that the lady referred to is intending [illegible] Santa Claus postoffice representative. It is likely that the publication of her purpose will swell the Santa Claus mail to formidable proportions but all one can do is one's best.

SANTA CLAUS

To the Editor of The Gazette

There isn't any Santa Claus mamma. You and papa give us the present and you say Santa Claus does it just to fool us says the child of 7 years. And the mother wishing to be truthful in all things probably tell the child that there is no Santa Claus, or she says that she and papa are the real Santa [illegible]. Now the mother in her zeal for truth tells the child an untruth, for there is just as certainly a Santa Claus as there is a God in Heaven. Wherever children's stockings are filled by loving parents and friends wherever lighted Christmas trees scatter their [illegible] upon the little ones Santa Claus is present. It is he who moves the loving to give to those who [illegible] and it is he who fills the children with eager expectation. The father who brings the gift and the mother who fills the stocking are only his ministers for Santa Claus is the Spirit of Giving at Christmas tide.

Colorado Springs Dec 23 — [illegible] HILLS

Today's Horoscope

Tuesday December 24, 1907

This day let haste not thoughtless speed compel. For peace and caution all things will be well.

The days begin to increase. This is the 358th day [illegible] age 75 days. Mercury is in benefic aspect with it.

A doubtful and uncertain day for most undertakings. Go quietly about accustomed and ordinary vocations and consider well ere you venture on new and unusual enterprises.

A favorable day for starting on short trips whether for business or pleasure but especially the latter.

Beware of doing things in haste during these twenty four hours. Take heed against a temptation that comes in innocent guise.

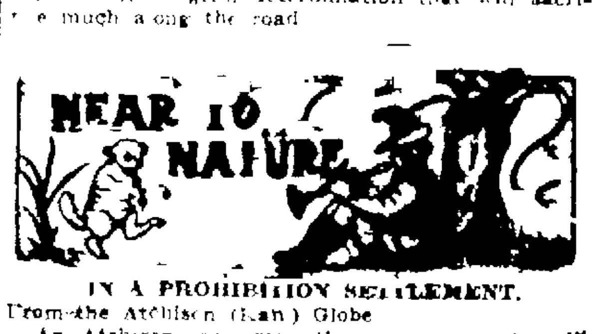
A fortunate day for women. Their undertakings will be singularly successful.

The woman whose birthdate this is must beware during the twelvemonth of quarreling or giving offense.

The man whose birthdate is today will probably journey and meet with success during the year. Those in employ will prosper.

The girl born this day will be clever and quick. She will marry young.

The boy born today will go on his way toward success with grim determination that will sacrifice much along the road.



IN A PROHIBITION SETTLEMENT.

From the Atchison (Kan) Globe

An Atchison man says the express agents will soon begin to send out cards like this: "[illegible] Your package of books has arrived and you should get them at once as they are leaking."

SUDDEN RESUMPTION IN MISSOURI

From the [illegible]

The pastor's wife has been ill for quite a spell. It is thought that the attack was brought on by the finding of a [illegible] the [illegible] says that if she don't have a relapse she'll be out soon. We all expect to see her a [illegible] shortly.

SOME HUMAN TRAITS.

From the Rural Retreat (Va) Times.

Some philosopher or poet or somebody has said that man is the only animal that smiles. Yes, and he is the only animal that swears and gets drunk, lies and acts the hypocrite and plays football and rides in automobiles and gets married and gets a divorce and commits suicide and goes to hell when he dies.

LOOK ON SALVATION'S SIDE.

From the Billville (Ga) Banner

Some of the brethren have proposed an all-day thanksgiving service for the remarkable dispensation of Providence by which our preacher was preserved to us recently. While he was in the water preparing to baptize two pretty old sinners of this settlement three hungry alligators put in their appearance and dragged the sinners away from him, disappearing with them beneath the doubtful waters of the mill pond. How the preacher was [illegible] to be [illegible] by Providential [illegible] It [illegible] pretty hard on the other fellows [illegible] feeling in the community is that they [illegible]

Reduced Prices on

Leather Goods,

Calendars and Art Lamps.

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT on all Leather Goods, Including all Portfolios, Desk Sets, Bridge Sets, Purses, Bill Books, Card Cases, Table Mats and Leather Goods of all kinds. Our stock is new and very attractive this year.

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ALL CALENDARS

Calendars were so attractive this year that we bought too many. We still have a beautiful line, including the famous Campbell Art, Hand-colored Calendars. Prices from 25c to $5.00

DISCOUNT APPLIES TO ALL.

No reservation and in this is included some of Life, Gibson and Hutt Calendars, which are very attractive

BIG REDUCTION IN ART LAMPS

$8.00 Lamps now	$6.00
$15.00 Lamps now	$12.00
$18.00 Lamps now	$14.40
$20.00 Lamps now	$16.00
$50.00 Lamps now	$40.00

These lamps are all new patterns and are most attractive. Don't fail to see them.

COPYRIGHTED BOOKS AT A SACRIFICE

Our special sale of recent Copyrighted Fiction still continues

AT 90 CENTS

In this sale are such books as New Chronicles of Rebecca, White Fang, Partners of the Tide, Conquest of Canaan, and a host of others. They are going fast, in lots of several at a time. Come while assortment is complete

A FEW SUGGESTIONS

Set of Books
A Handsome Gift Book
The Latest Books of Fiction
Children's Books
Bibles, Testaments or Prayer Books
Fountain Pens
Stationery in Fancy Boxes
Games
Hand-painted China
Aurene Ware, same as Tiffany, at half the price
Gobelin Tapestry Ware, and many, many other things

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Whitney & Grimwood

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We are closing out our stock of fancy

Toilet and Dresser Sets

At 20% Discount

There are a great many [illegible] you will have no trouble to find one to suit you. They make elegant Xmas presents

THE PARIS DRUG CO.

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Free delivery at all hours.

In Half!

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AOKI ON ROOSEVELT

Japanese Ambassador Says He Can Not Understand President

Washington Correspondence New York American

"Your President. How can I understand him when your own people do not?"

This is what Ambassador Aoki had to say about Roosevelt during an interview which I had with him regarding his recall and its relation to the moving of the fleet to the Pacific waters.

I became convinced before he bade me good by with a tremendous bow and a smile that only is to be seen upon the face of a Japanese diplomat that the ambassador is more of a sphinx than he pictured Mr Roosevelt.

He also cautiously described the American people when he told me that they were new in diplomacy, but honest, yes honest in intent, always. "My sovereign bears the most kindly feeling toward our country, and indeed we all do" he added.

"I leave this land perhaps never to return [illegible] It is a [illegible] interesting study—the wonderful working of your government. I have not yet had time to grasp the spirit of it all—the more my regret that I am leaving.

"The will of the emperor—his judgments—we never question. His will is my law," [illegible] with a finality characteristic of his people.

It was in the magnificent drawing room of the Aoki residence in K street that I talked with the ambassador. The room was fitted in all its rich and expensive furnishing and was suggestive of Japan only in a few large Japanese [illegible] hung about.

It suggested Japan scarcely less than did the ambassador himself in his afternoon cutaway coat of American make, his high white collar and four-in-hand tie. His voice seemed half Oriental in tone, and his whiskers looked much as if they might have been growing on the face of a middle-west farmer.

Like most Japanese who come to this land, he [illegible] whether because of their natural [illegible] or in order to see things as we see them, is only a conjecture.

"Japan [illegible]

[illegible]

relations so much talked about are mainly the cry of those who in no way understand the real conditions existing diplomatically between your country and mine.

"My sovereign bears the most cordial feeling toward this country, and my recall has no bearing upon the question of your fleet and its reinforcement in the Pacific waters. That is a coincident. That is all," added the viscount.

I asked the ambassador if he was conversant with the Japanese situation on the Pacific coast and he added: "Thoroughly. Baron Ishii, one of the secretaries of the Japanese interior department has made investigations not only in California, Oregon and Washington but in British Columbia as well. These results have of course been placed before my sovereign through me.

"Of course the reasons for my summons to Tokio, while confidential and between my emperor and myself are those pertaining directly to conditions as I have observed them at close range here in Washington and the attitude as I have observed it of the administration. That does in no way signify animosity on the part of Japan, but merely an effort on our emperor's part to get in close touch and [illegible] country. It is a situation which to be thoroughly understood [illegible] conferences directly with my sovereign.

"My [illegible] is in no way be dissatisfied with me, as has been circulated. That is absolutely wrong," he added firmly. [illegible] those not knowing the real situation.

"The conferences with [illegible] will be the subject of [illegible] to the United States as that is the foremost concern at the [illegible] and [illegible] there will be no trouble resulting, as the [illegible] satisfactorily settled, [illegible] by the willingness of Japan to add such restrictions to the issuing of passports as will meet with the approval of the United States government.

"We are trying in every way to comply with the wishes of your President in the matter of prohibiting coolies from our country from migrating to the United States. Japan is willing to concede much for place and good feeling between this [illegible] ours."

Asked if he knew who would be his successor, Aoki said that no one would know until the emperor made it public.

[illegible] Kaneko and Baron [illegible] either of these?" he was asked.

"Both are excellent men but I can not

MOTORMANIA

I have a motor [illegible] And I have often wondered How I could ever do without May car with [illegible]	500.00
It plays many a little joke I well recall the fix When my left [illegible] broke That [illegible] exactly	6.00
The other day I broke my chain It gave me trouble plenty But still I oughtn't to complain It only cost	4.0
My carbureter wouldn't work I tried till I was blue An expert gave it just one jerk And charged	2.22
She went so fast when this was done She seemed to be alive And then—my pump refused to run! A new one cost me	5.00
And I was happy just a day And then my joy was o'er! My battery failed I had to pay For cells	1.44
[illegible] And dared to laugh at fate When suddenly my tire was burst! New [illegible] cost	35.00
And then my radiator went [illegible] Repairs to brake a lever bent, A dust-cap	2.11
And now I was a little vexed My lamps went back on me! It was my generator, next, They stuck me	11.
This whirring [illegible] machine Was not because I blundered, With gasoline, oil and [illegible] I spent another	[illegible]
TOTAL	
But still, I've had a month of fun [illegible] repair shop [illegible] and After it all is said and done I've only spent	[illegible]

—Gelett Burgess, in Smart Set

EX-PRESIDENT LOW A PAUPER

Ex-President Morales of Santo Domingo, who was finally forced out of power last year by Caceres, is now a homeless wanderer and in leaving New York for Porto Rico was interested to [illegible]

[illegible] he said definitely who will be [illegible] replied Aoki.

"Will you return again to this land?" was asked.

"I think I will not unless it is the will of my sovereign," he answered.

"I have spent 40 years in Europe and a man after all likes to spend the winter of his life at home [illegible] and I [illegible] as your poet says, in the sear and yellow leaf."

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anything purchased at our store. For this season we prepared splendidly of exclusive styles in men's wearables.

Our Neckwear Stock comprises many styles far in advance of those ordinarily shown. Our 50c and 75c Ties look like others' $1.00 Ties.

Our Mufflers for day and evening wear are unusually good. These are very popular among good dressers. $1.50 and $3.00.

All Fancy Silk Suspenders Half Price

50c Fancy Suspenders now....25c
75c Fancy Suspenders now....40c
$1.00 Fancy Suspenders now....50c
$1.50 Fancy Suspenders now....75c
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$2.50 Fancy Suspenders now....$1.25
$3.00 Fancy Suspenders now....$1.50

All these Suspenders have very attractive buckles and are put up single pairs in very handsome Xmas boxes.

Men's Silk Hose

In addition, we are selling Men's All Silk Hose—the $2.00 grade, $1.25; the $2.50 grade, $1.50.

All Our 75c Neckwear at 55c

If you want to be sure your gift will be appreciated, it should come from us.

HOLBROOK & PERKINS

STORER SUFFERS A RELAPSE

Is in Critical Condition and Little Hope Is Now Entertained for His Recovery.

Rex Storer was taken with a relapse at St. Francis hospital yesterday afternoon and little hope is entertained for his recovery, although he was resting well at an early hour this morning. He had been improving steadily and regaining strength at a rate that indicated his complete recovery from the effects of an operation that he underwent for appendicitis. Last Sunday a few friends were permitted to visit him and he appeared to be very cheerful and hopeful. The relapse came suddenly and unexpectedly.

We Must Reduce Stock

For the next 10 days we will sell any trunk or suit case at 20 per cent discount. All new goods.

HEMENWAY CARRIAGE CO.

Phone 252. 31 S. Cascade.

SMOKERS

appreciate in a keen sense the gift of a tasty Pipe or Tobacco. We have just received a large stock of the most beautiful Pipes and Cigars in gift packages we have ever seen.

We guarantee satisfaction in either Cigars or Pipes, and this is the only line in the city sold under such a guarantee.

All styles, all prices.

The Busy Corner

Phone 4

Societies and Clubs

Regular conclave of Pikes Peak Commandery No. 6, Knights Templars, will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock for Christmas observance. Visiting sir knights are specially invited.

BIG MASQUERADE SKATING CARNIVAL, XMAS EVE., AT OLLINGER'S ROLLER RINK.

Prizes will be awarded for finest costume, most perfect representation of some special character and next best representation. Admission 10 cents.

AT Colorado Springs Floral company's branch store you will find Xmas trees and all Xmas decorations.

SPRINGS POULTRY WINS

Hofer's Black Minorcas Capture Prizes at Boulder.

Colorado Springs poultry received another recognition yesterday when awards were made in the northern Colorado championship poultry show, held at Boulder. The exhibit of single comb Black Minorcas, belonging to Fred W. Hofer, 519 South Weber street, took the majority of the prizes in the class. The awards made were: First prize, cock; second, third and fourth, hen; first, second and third, pullet, and first pen. Besides these prizes, Mr. Hofer was awarded the silver trophy given by the White-Davis Mercantile company.

XMAS EXERCISES—Christmas exercises will be held at the Hillside Congregational church this evening. The chapel has been tastefully decorated, and the program will be exceptionally good, including, besides Santa Claus, anthems by the choir. The Hillside Christian chapel held its exercises last evening.

One of the Essentials

of the happy homes of to-day is a vast fund of information as to the best methods of promoting health and happiness and right living and knowledge of the world's best products.

Products of actual excellence and reasonable claims truthfully presented and which have attained to world-wide acceptance through the approval of the Well-Informed of the World; not of individuals only, but of the many who have the happy faculty of selecting and obtaining the best the world affords.

One of the products of that class, of known component parts, an Ethical remedy, approved by physicians and commended by the Well-Informed of the World as a valuable and wholesome family laxative is the well-known Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

Our Printing

has undisputed quality, and artistic drawing proposals which are attracting new customers daily. Better join the [illegible] that [illegible] of printing.

You'll [illegible] the quality [illegible] the price has been [illegible].

The Waterman Press

[illegible]

MUST START ALL OVER

CASCADE AVENUE PARKING TO BE DELAYED.

Ordinance Declared Illegal and Preliminary Steps Will Have to Be Taken Again.

The ordinance authorizing the assessment of property along Cascade avenue, between Platte avenue and Cache la Poudre street, for parking district No. 2, was declared illegal by City Attorney W. B. Price at the special meeting of the City Council last night, and a resolution was passed annulling the ordinance and calling for a [illegible]. By this action, all previous legal steps toward parking the avenue are annulled and the matter will have to be taken up once more from the start. A new petition will have to be circulated for the signatures of property owners, a new ordinance framed and advertised for 20 days and finally passed before any of the proposed work can be done on the street.

Petition and Ordinance Differed.

The ordinance was declared invalid for several reasons. It did not coincide with the petition, which called for gravel to the depth of six inches and a width of 21 feet, 6 inches for the parking, whereas the ordinance specified five inches of gravel and a width of parking of 22 feet. The boundaries of the parking district was properly specified in the advertisement notice, and there is some doubt as to whether a majority of the property owners signed the petition, as several of the names of those who were supposed to be property owners could not be found in the records of the abstract company. In the new petition to be framed these matters will be rectified and it is expected that by March 1 everything will be ready to proceed with the work.

Routine Matters.

A petition from a number of colored residents, members of the Sunday Forum, asking for the establishment of a fire station in the southeastern part of the city, with a company of firemen to be composed of colored men, was presented to the Council. The petition was referred to the fire committee.

A request from the Pikes Peak Poultry association for a donation of $100 was referred to the finance committee. For the last two years the city has given this sum to the association.

On behalf of A. D. DeMasters, Attorney S. H. Kinsley made application to the council for the return of $100 deposited by his client for a license which never was issued. The matter was referred to the city attorney and the finance committee.

City and County Settle.

Alderman Kasson, chairman of the police committee, reported that the county commissioners had agreed to a compromise on their bill of $941 against the city for the board of city prisoners at the county jail. The city had a bill of about the same amount for the use of the city ambulance by the county, and both bills will be receipted to balance each other. It was agreed that in the future a balance of accounts shall be struck annually.

The Council adjourned to Thursday night, when the appropriations ordinance will be passed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the members of the Elks lodge, Masons, Eastern Star, the local plumbers, also our friends and neighbors, for their kindness and the flowers they sent during the sickness and death of our son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. S. A. EMERSON,
MR. AND MRS. F. B. DOCKSTADER.

MANY GIFTS FOR THE POOR

Christmas Dinners and Other Presents to Be Distributed by Presbyterian Sunday School.

Christmas dinners and other gifts for more than 100 poor families were brought to the First Presbyterian church last night, when the Sunday school held its annual Christmas celebration. The gifts included groceries, fuel, chickens, turkeys, clothing and flowers, all of which will be distributed to the families for whom they are intended, today.

In addition to the gifts to the poor, all the children of the Sunday school received presents of candy and other good things from the big Christmas tree, which was beautifully illuminated. Music was supplied by the school orchestra, and solos were sung by Miss Jean Laing, Creede Baker and Dr. Woolsey, whose male quartet gave several vocal selections. Recitations were given by several of the children, including Gracia Matthews and Donald McPherson, and also by Mrs. M. O. West. Superintendent A. C. Shafer presided and distributed the gifts.

GOOD THINGS ON MARKET

Turkeys Much Cheaper Than They Were Last Year.

Housewives who go shopping today will find the market filled with good things for the Christmas dinner. All the shops have their most tempting goods on display.

Turkeys of extra fine quality are much cheaper than they were last year, selling at from 18 to 18 cents a pound, chickens from 15 to 18 cents, and ducks and geese at 18 cents [illegible].

Home-made mincemeat of the old-fashioned kind is selling at two pounds for 25 cents. [illegible] and Colorado celery is very fine this year. California fruits are plentiful and prices are reasonable.

LARGE INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR

A comparative statement from records of the [illegible] Co. for the week just closed with the [illegible] of a year ago, show an [illegible] [illegible] that they advertise, and that the people have both [illegible].

CHILDREN ARE HAPPY

ALL WILL HANG UP THEIR STOCKING TONIGHT.

Salvation Army Ready to Distribute Good Things Among Worthy Poor.

Christmas eve, ushering in the most glorious holiday of the year, will be celebrated tonight by every child in Colorado Springs. This is going to be the merriest Christmas that the children have ever had, for rich or poor, all are to be remembered, there is a Christmas present waiting for every [illegible] apples will be distributed among the poor children at the Salvation army barracks tonight, and tomorrow morning they are to be the Christmas guests of the Elks.

Hundreds of pounds of turkey, a ton or more of vegetables and great piles of pie and cake, are spread in tempting array at the Salvation army barracks for free distribution to needy poor families this morning. The distribution will take place between 10 and 11 o'clock.

JOYOUS HEARTS MADE SAD

Santa Claus Reveals Himself in True Light.

It was just an incident of the Christmas shopping festival, but it was an incident that shouldn't have happened.

In front of one of the big Tejon street stores during the week has appeared a "make believe" Santa Claus. Children of all ages, from the wee mites to the bigger tots, danced around him in glee. To their minds he was the real, live, cross-my-heart, dearly beloved St. Nicholas. Agape and awed, they watched his every antic and clapped their little hands in sheer ecstacy of delight when he smiled at them.

Yesterday afternoon the crowd was larger than usual. "Santa Claus" disported himself more than ever for their benefit. Suddenly he took off his big false face, attached to which were the traditional long, white whiskers.

Then he stood revealed just a common, ordinary human being. The glamor and romance were gone. With popping eyes a little girl buried her face in her mother's dress. Her form shook convulsively.

"Mama, oh mama, oh, mama," she lisped, "Santa Claus is nothing but a man."

From a score of other "tykes" a sorrowful chorus of "[illegible]" went up as they saw the disappointing transformation, and with the pulling off of the Yuletide "make-up" the implicit faith of fully 20 children in Santa Claus was dispelled for all time.

The impersonator of Santa Claus meant no harm. He was hot and had to have air. But it was too bad that he didn't go inside, free from childish observation, to remove his warm make-up and cool off. Christmas will not be the same for those that saw him turn back into just a "man" again.

It was an incident, pathetic for the reasons given, that shouldn't have happened. Let us hope that other impersonators of the goodly St. Nick won't unconsciously break another heart.

ONE DOLLAR PER MONTH.

We press one suit every week. Hunter, 129 N. Tejon. Phone 1364.

DURING THE WINTER

The Acacia Hotel will be conducted on both American and European plans.

AFTER A RECORD AT ROBBINS'

Today promises to be the biggest day of the year at the Robbins store, if low prices will do it. Every possible inducement has been made to holiday buyers. Prices never before equalled on the Robbins fine stock of clothing and haberdashery prevail in every department, and the big store is fairly bristling with bargains. It is the policy of this firm not to carry over any holiday goods, and the large stock now on hand necessitates sharp price cutting. Select some gift from their large stock of smoking jackets, house coats, neckwear, gloves, handkerchiefs, etc.

This opportunity will never present itself again; take advantage of it today, and you will save money.

Our Expert

rejects all coffees that are defective or insipid of taste. We blend only the matured, the sweet and [illegible] give that distinguishing flavor of DEAN'S COFFEE

DERN Tea & Coffee Co.

[illegible]

PIANO TUNING

[illegible]

PLACE

Your confidence in and your suit with [illegible]

[illegible]

at 25c

One large table filled with bric-a-brac, toilet boxes, ornaments, handkerchiefs boxes, glove boxes, work baskets, pictures, books, etc., etc., worth from 35c to 75c.

HIBBARDS

at 35c

One large table filled with bric-a-brac, fancy covered boxes, ornaments, decorative novelties, pictures, gift books, and [illegible] wares of various kinds, worth up to $1.00.

Special Handkerchief Sale

25 dozen Men's Pure All Linen Handkerchiefs with neat embroidered initial and narrow hemstitched edge; an extra special value at, each **11c**

25 dozen Women's Sheer, Fine White Cambric and Swiss Handkerchiefs with scalloped and embroidered edges, dainty patterns, 25c kind, 19c, or **3 for 50c**

A sample line of Women's fine, All Linen Handkerchiefs with scalloped, embroidered and hemstitched [illegible] extra value at [illegible] 35c, or **3 for $1**

Reduced Prices for Tuesday

$2.50 Embroidered Silk Hosiery, on sale at, pair **$1.50**
$1.25 Back and Side Comb Sets, on sale at **85c**
$1.65 Grade Sterling Silver Souvenir Spoons, for **$1.25**
$1.15 Quality Fine Silk Scarfings, for per yard .. **75c**
$1.50 Quality Best Silk Scarfings, for per yard .. **98c**
$1.25 Quality, 36-inch Black Taffeta, per yard .. **97c**
$1.00 Quality, 26-inch Black Taffeta, per yard ... **79c**
$1.65 White and Light Tan Kid Gloves, pair ... **$1.05**
$1.65 Black and Brown Kid Gloves, pair **$1.39**
$1.15 Kid Gloves, in white only, pair **72c**

1/3 Off All Dolls, Teddy Bears, Laundry Bags, Doll Trunk and Wardrobe Outfits, Fur Scarfs and Muffs, Baby Caps, Untrimmed Hats, Wings and Plumes, etc., now on sale at 33⅓% discount.

New Waist Pin Sets, Bath Robe Girdles, Neck Cord Frogs, etc.

FURNITURE

It's a Good Investment!

Good furnishings return in annual dividends more happiness, more comfort and more service than perhaps any other possible purchase. Really good selections actually grow in value with the passing of years.

Our Great Christmas Sale

offers an extraordinary variety of handsome, useful articles in the way of Furniture, Rugs, Curtains, Pictures, etc., that are suitable for gifts to matron, maid, husband or lover. Rockers from $1.90 up; fine Morris Chairs from $6.75 up; Center Tables from $1.95 up; Bookcases from $3.25 up; Music Racks from $2.50 up; Divans from $8.75 up; Bed Davenports from $21; Mission Arm Rockers from $4.50 up; Library Tables at $6.50; Mission Clocks $17.50, etc.; Sewing Tables at $10 up; Buffets, $19.50, $21.50, etc.; Pedestal Dining Tables, $15, $16.50, $17.50, etc.; Ladies' Desks, Tabourettes, Magazine Racks, Lamps, Tea Tables, Muffin Stands, Dressers, Chiffoniers, etc. If in doubt ask for one of our "appropriate gifts" list. We are in receipt of the advance styles of Rugs and Portieres for next season, which we mark at the low, popular prices prevailing in every department. All goods marked in plain figures. One price to all.

The FRED S TUCKER FURNITURE CO
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Ladies' Silver Purses

are especially attractive and appropriate gifts. They make something that combines usefulness and appearance.

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JEWELERS

[illegible]

100 new pieces of Van Briggle Pottery from the special Christmas kiln were placed on sale at this store yesterday.

$2.00 to $10.00 and up.

HARDY'S

Exclusive local shop for Van Briggle ware.

6 South Tejon St.

William P. Bonbright & Co.
BANKERS AND BROKERS.

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EASY

[illegible]

HOOK'S

[illegible]

CALENDARS

[illegible] OF COLORADO SCENES [illegible]

AT ALL DEALERS

THE GAZETTE [illegible] EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR [illegible]

Free

[illegible]

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THE HUB THE LAST DAY THE HUB

Always Reliable — Always Reliable

We Have Priced Every Dollars Worth of Goods to Go.

PRICES THAT WILL MOVE MERCHANDISE QUICKLY

Xmas Neckwear

At 35c
3 FOR $1.00.
60 dozen Four-in-Hand Ties, regular 50c silk. While they last.....3 for $1.00

At 55c
Choice of all our 75c Xmas Neckwear, in fancy gift boxes.

At 75c
Choice of $1.25 Four-in-Hands and Ascot Ties, in rich brocaded and self-figured silks.

At 95c
All $1.50 and $2.00 folded English Squares, extra heavy silks, beautiful assortment of patterns.

Sweater Jackets

At $3.00
Plain gray, good union Jacket, white pearl button; the usual $3.50 value at.....$3.00

At $3.50
All wool Jacket, plain gray, red and white; the usual $4 value at.....$3.50

At $1.00
Extra fine worsted Jacket, in the popular shade of gray, black pearl button; good $5.00 value at.....$4.00

At $5.00
Extra fine worsted, with red trimmed front, brass buttons, and a great $6 value at.$5.00

Men's Silk Mufflers

At 85c
Your choice of our $1.25 large, heavy Silk Mufflers, in plain and fancy colors.

At $1.20
Your choice of our $1.75 and $1.50 Peau de Crepe and extra heavy Silk Mufflers, in a large assortment of colors.

At $1.65
Your choice of extra quality $2.25 Mufflers, plain or hemstitched ends, great variety of colors and patterns.

At $2.15
You can buy our regular $3.50 Muffler, extra heavy imported silks, 1¼ yards long.

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IN ORDER TO CLEAR THIS DEPARTMENT QUICKLY OF ALL WINTER WEIGHT MERCHANDISE, WE GIVE THE XMAS BUYERS THE BENEFIT OF OUR CLEARANCE SALE REDUCTION.

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$3.00 Suits, 1-4 Off	$2.25
$4.00 Suits, 1-4 Off	$3.00
$5.00 Suits, 1-4 Off	$3.75
$6.00 Suits, 1-4 Off	$4.50
$7.00 Suits, 1-4 Off	$5.25

NEWS OF THE LOCAL COURTS

A judgment was rendered in the district court yesterday against the Rattler Gold Mining company in three separate amounts, aggregating $6,316, on suits brought by Harriett P. Campbell and N. M. Campbell.

The suit brought by Bernard Fuller of Colorado City against Frank A. Whittlesey for the recovery of several hundred dollars claimed for damages alleged to have been sustained in the burning of a stable and horses, was up for hearing in the district court yesterday and continued until today. Fuller had the stable rented from Whittlesey and claims that the fire was caused by the negligence of the latter in the disposal of hot ashes.

Roy Finley and Mark Weisbrod, charged with the theft of a suit case from the K. P. hall in this city, several months ago, were tried in the court of Justice W. N. Ruby yesterday and acquitted.

Anna Christian, aged 15 years, and Alma Godwin, aged 17, were sentenced to the Industrial School for Girls at Morrison in the county court yesterday. The Christian girl was charged with going to the Rex roominghouse with "Bob" Pickett last Friday night. Pickett, who is 18 years of age, was also brought to trial and was dismissed under a suspended sentence to the reform school at Buena Vista.

W. C. Ann Tellong, a farmer from Castle Rock, was released from the county jail here yesterday on a pardon from Governor Buchtel. The man was convicted of assaulting a saloonkeeper at Castle Rock and sentenced to 6 days in the county jail.

Leo Wilson, a Colorado City boy, 11 years of age, was yesterday sentenced to a term in the Industrial School for Boys at Golden for stealing junk, fruit and nuts from a freight car on the Denver & Rio Grande tracks at Colorado City, it being the second offense. Robert Taylor, aged 16, and John and Harry Lewis, 13 and 12 years of age, respectively, were dismissed on suspended sentence in the same case, it being the first offense of which against them.

RUSH EXPECTED TODAY

Springs Merchants Anticipating Record Business.

With the holiday at hand and only a few hours left for Christmas shopping, the stores will be taxed to the limit today to supply the wants of the crowds. All of the stores will remain open this evening. Although shoppers will find it to their advantage to make the suggestion of the merchants and make their purchases as early in the day as possible. By so doing they avoid the crush in the shops and secure better service and the choice of the assortments of goods.

HUNDREDS OF SKATERS OUT

Ice on Prospect Lake Better and Safer Than It Has Been for Several Years.

Prospect lake is frozen over from shore to shore for the first time in many years, and hundreds of people, young and old alike, who are devotees of the exhilarating sport, are to be seen on the ice every day. At one time last Sunday afternoon there were no less than 500 skaters on the lake. Several hundred people will probably avail themselves of the opportunity to enjoy the sport tomorrow. The ice is smooth and several inches thick.

The fortune-teller is indispensable at a Chinese wedding. If the fortunes are not satisfactory, either party may terminate the engagement.

CHRISTMAS DAY SPORTS

Golf and Bowling at the Town and Gown Club.

Golf and bowling will be the chief Christmas day sports at the Town and Gown club. An eighteen handicap against bogey will be the chief feature of interest on the links in the morning. A large entry list is expected.

In bowling an all-day handicap tournament will be held, the alleys being open after 10 o'clock in the morning. Each contestant will be allowed to bowl a few or as many games as he desires. The highest score of the day will be awarded with a prize of six golf balls.

In the two-men bowling tournament, the finals have now been reached, and will be played off before the end of the week. Bissell and Johnson will meet Adams and Armstrong.

THE POPULAR DENVER TRAIN
Leaves 9:15 a. m., via Rio Grande

NO LEASES YET GRANTED

El Paso Directors Have Big Job on Their Hands.

Awarding of leases on the El Paso Consolidated Mining Company's property will not be made until the end of the week, and it is probable that another meeting of the board of directors will be held before final action is taken. The committee has not yet completed its work of considering the applications. More than 100 bids were received, and the sorting and reviewing of all these proved a hot task. None of the leases will go into effect before January 1, so that the company is taking its time in considering it.

DANGER IN ASKING ADVICE.

When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it as there is danger of taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

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1 lb. Full Cream Cheese.....20c	1 lb. Imported Malaga Grapes.....20c
5 lbs. Good Cooking Apples..25c	1 pt. jar Honey.....20c
3 lbs. Extra Eating Apples..25c	1 lb. Comb Honey.....15c
4 lbs. Ballfleur Apples.....25c	7 lbs. Fine Sweet Potatoes..25c
Arizona Sweet Oranges, doz. 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c and 60c	15 lbs. Extra Fine Potatoes.25c
1 box Arizona Sweet Oranges, any size.....$1.45	100 lbs. Extra Fine Potatoes. $1.45
1-2 box Arizona Sweet Oranges, any size.....$1.15	100 lbs. Best Colo. Flour..$2.45
Large New English Walnuts.25c	50 lbs. Best Colo. Flour...$1.25
1 lb Small English Walnuts.15c	50 lbs. Best Hard Wheat Flour.....80c
2 lbs. Fresh Roasted Peanuts.25c	Extra Fancy Young Turkeys. 18c and 20c
2 lbs. Pecans.....35c	Extra Fancy Young Hens...16c
2 lbs. Candy.....25c Very fine and sells regularly at 25c per lb.	Extra Fancy Springs.....16c
2 lbs. Home made Mince Meat. 25c	Live Hens and Springs.....15c
6 Extra Fancy Paschal Celery.....10c	3 sets Fresh Brains.....25c
2 qts. Cranberries.....25c	2 lbs. Fresh Spare Ribs.....25c
	Whole Pork Shoulders.....10c
	Whole Pork Hams.....12 1-2c
	Fresh Pork Side.....12 1-2c
	Rump Roasts...10c and 12 1-2c
	Prime Rib Roasts.....15c

We will close all Day Christmas Day.

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Mrs. Bryant's Hominy Griddle Cakes

One cup of Empson's cooked hominy, chopped very fine. Add one egg, little salt, one cup of milk, two tablespoons melted lard, one teaspoon baking powder mixed in a little flour, enough flour to make a stiff batter. Serve with maple syrup.

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All $5.00 Trousers cut to $4.00
All $4.50 Trousers cut to $3.60
All $4.00 Trousers cut to $3.20
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EXTRA SPECIAL—18 small sizes in Men's Suits, 33, 34, 35, 36 only, no larger, every suit must be sold; worth $12.50 to $15.00............ $7.50

EXTRA SPECIAL—One lot Men's Coats and Vests, mostly 34, 35 and 36, in plain black and blues and mixed colors.
Price for Coat and Vest............ Half price of Suit

EXTRA SPECIAL—20 Young Men's and Men's Top Coats, in small sizes only, 33, 34, 35 and 36, coats that sold at $10.00 and $12.50.
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Here is a chance to make your boy doubly happy with one purchase. A pair of Roller Skates or a Daisy Air Rifle free with all boys' suits or overcoats of $3.00 or over.

Big Reductions in Our Boys' Clothing Department

We Must Have More Room in this Dep't. Boys' Clothing Goes at This Sale Cheaper Than Ever Before at This Season

We have too many Boys' and Children's Overcoats. We must sell 300 of them during this sale.

This price reduction will do it. Come quick and get the best. We have lots of them, but these prices will make them go.

All our Boys' $12.50 Overcoats............ $8.00
All our Boys' $10.00 Overcoats............ $7.00
All our Boys' $8.50 Overcoats............ $5.75
All our Boys' $6.50 Overcoats............ $4.50
All our Boys' $6.00 Overcoats............ $4.00
All our Boys' $7.50 Overcoats............ $5.00
All our Boys' $5.50 Overcoats............ $3.75
All our Boys' $5.00 Overcoats............ $3.50
All our Boys' $4.50 Overcoats............ $3.25
All our Boys' $4.00 Overcoats............ $2.95
All our Boys' $3.50 Overcoats............ $2.65
All our Boys' $3.00 Overcoats............ $2.25

20 per cent off all our Boys' and Children's Suits. The best line of Boys' and Children's Clothing shown in this town. All the new, up-to-date novelties in little men's clothing. $2.50 to $8.50. For the big boys' $6.00 to $20.00. They all go .... 20 per cent off
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All our $1.00 Knee Pants 70c
All our 65c and 75c Knee Pants 50c

EXTRA SPECIAL—200 pairs Boys' 50c Knee Pants, all sizes, 4 to 14.
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100 dozen Boys' heavy ribbed Stockings, equal to most 25c grades.
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Boys' good wool Sweaters and Sweater Coats 75c to $2.50

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House Coats,
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Sweaters and Sweater Coats,
Fine Fur Gloves,
Silk-lined Gloves,
Wool-lined Gloves,
Gauntlet Gloves,
Kid and Mocha Dress Gloves,
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By means of the largest and [illegible] lightning rod in the world Pikes Peak has been rendered practically safe from all damage in the terrific lightning storms that used to play such havoc with the [illegible] and the property around it and endangered the lives of everyone compelled to live on the Peak," said Howard Robinson, superintendent in charge of the summit house.

The electrical equipment on the Peak was installed in [illegible] by H. H. Buckwalter of Denver and at the time much doubt was expressed as to the success of the plans, some electricians going so far as to say that the danger would be much greater than formerly and that with the accumulated wires, [illegible] would be [illegible] to an [illegible] more.

[illegible] plans [illegible] a complete success and one of the worst spots in the world for electric storms has been rendered perfectly safe by the genius of the electrician. The triumph over the elements [illegible] two summers not a cent's worth of property has been damaged by lightning, whereas before the installation of the system every storm resulted in considerable destruction to property and those living on the Peak were in [illegible] throughout the summer months.

Rails for Lightning Rods

"Lightning on the summit is entirely different from below," said Mr. Robinson. "The air seems ablaze with it and [illegible] can tell an hour in advance of the appearance of a cloud that a terrific battle of nature is pending.

"It has always been the one serious problem on the Peak. Every piece of metal in the construction of the building is electrically connected to the rails of the cog road. You understand of course that there is no electrical 'ground' anywhere near the summit. The Peak is simply a mass of rocks piled up with no moisture to speak of and no dirt [illegible] to connect with [illegible] so the [illegible] of using the rails and [illegible] of the cog road for our lightning [illegible] [illegible] the rails are connected to pieces of old iron in the little streams along the mountain side so as to get as good a ground as possible and at the same time decrease the resistance as much [illegible].

Copper Wire No Good

"Three years ago the massive steel tower was constructed and the only connection between the frame work [illegible]. That didn't last long enough to tell about after the first storm came up. With the first crash there was a blinding flash of green and that ended the wire, which was too light. Then there was a dazzling display for the entire steel tower seemed charged with a dazzling blue light which danced and sputtered over the [illegible] as [illegible]. We were all afraid to go near the tower until next day for fear it might be charged with static electricity like a Leyden jar. But that storm demonstrated how a [illegible] came pretty near being dangerous. We found that the corner anchors of the tower had been set in concrete, which practically insulated the structure and the only connection with the ground was the [illegible]. We lost no time in getting a [illegible] of wire [illegible] the metal roof of the [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] outfit and then we stood around and awaited developments. We have the largest gasoline engine we could bring up on the cog road and it is equal to 50 horsepower at sea level. [illegible] usual accessories, wiring for the house, in addition to the heavy lead to the searchlight. With all this new network of wiring we expected greater troubles than before because of course it was not possible to connect the feed wires with the ground. [illegible] engine and dynamo were all thoroughly protected. The switchboard was built in Buckwalter's shop in Denver and it embodied some new ideas entirely different from normal practice. When the first storm came up it proved to be a little one, but the display we got was worth the [illegible]. [illegible] out went our telephones and telegraph lines in a puff of [illegible] and from the engine room came a roar like a big gun. Then followed a lot of little crashes like a gatling gun and punctuated at frequent intervals by the big pieces.

It Stood the Test.

"We were all afraid to go near the engine room until after the storm had passed and then we were certain the entire place had been destroyed. [illegible]

[illegible] and see the fireworks and it is a sight that will never be forgotten. With every flash and roar of the lightning the room seems filled with flame. First comes the monster crash and then [illegible] forward as that particular discharge balances itself. Then comes another [illegible] before the first has [illegible] and thus it keeps up until the storm has passed.

[illegible] storm we expected the [illegible] they didn't. The final test [illegible] this summer with the grandest [illegible] and display. I have [illegible] stay on the [illegible] [illegible] was an [illegible] it [illegible] for about 15 minutes. When [illegible] we made a thorough examination [illegible] found absolutely no [illegible] of any sort except that every [illegible] had [illegible] protected by the lightning arrester on the lightning circuit.

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The musical numbers which Mr. Cohan has written and composed for this piece are not injected without reason. Several of them are "You're a Grand Old Flag," "Virginia," "He Was a Wonderful Man," "If Washington Should Come to Life," "I'll Be There With Bells On," "The Wedding of the Blue and the Gray" and "I've Never Been Over There."

What the Press Agents Say

"GEORGE WASHINGTON, JR."

Much interest is being manifested by local theatergoers over the approaching engagement in this city of the Cohan & Harris comedians at the Opera House on next Monday evening, when George M. Cohan's most popular success, "George Washington, Jr.," will be presented here for the first time. For two seasons past this sprightly play by Mr. Cohan has been presented in only a few of the largest cities. Its success was so decided in New York that it played for several months to capacity business at the Herald Square theater, after which the production was transferred to the Colonial theater in Chicago, where it attained immense popularity, breaking all the previous records of the theater. It remained in Chicago for four months, people being turned away at every per-

S. MILLER KENT AS "RAFFLES"

A theatrical event of unusual importance will be the presentation at the Opera House next Saturday evening by the clever young romantic actor, S. Miller Kent, of "Raffles, the Amateur Cracksman," the fascinating and interesting play which has been the dramatic sensation for the past three seasons in this country, and which is at the present time in the sixth month of a run at the Comedy theater, London. The story of the play differs from the two published volumes of E. W. Hornung's "Raffles" and "The Amateur Cracksman," from which it was taken. Both books are collections of sketches, while the play is a connected plot in which all of the sketches are incorporated as an intensely thrilling drama. A new character has been introduced in the person of Captain Bedford, the detective, a perfect foil for Raffles. The dramatization is the work of Eugene Presbrey, a past master of all the arts of stagecraft. [illegible] followed the method laid down by one of the best book dramatizers. "Read your book, then throw it away and write your play." As the burglar, Mr. Kent has a part that fits him as if made to order. As the "born criminal" who inherited cerebral affliction, craving excitement, the conventional environment of customary life could not give, with the yearning to redeem himself and be worthy of the love of a good woman, the actor has a role that calls for the display of his best talents, and he meets the requirements with the grace and skill which has made him one of the foremost romantic actors on the stage.

CHRISTMAS ATTRACTION AT THE OPERA HOUSE

[illegible] the Opera House tomorrow afternoon and evening. Popular prices will be charged. Matinee, children 10 cents, adults 25 cents. Evening prices, 25 cents, 50 cents, 75 cents and $1.00. The attraction will be Clarence Bennett's beautiful Mexican play, "A Royal Slave." The author has evolved a story, startling in its intensity, calling into play the strongest emotions [illegible] devotion of Aguila to his young mistress, the passionate love of the Countess Inez de Oro, the sweet, gentle, loving love of the gentle Madera, relieved by the bright, breezy comedy of the American newspaper correspondent and the comedy specialties [illegible] contribute their share in making "A Royal Slave" one of the [illegible] offerings.

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AUTO RUNS INTO BUILDING

Mrs. J. A. Hays and Mrs. Webb Have Exciting Experience.

In order to avoid collision with another automobile, Mrs. J. A. Hayes of 832 North Cascade avenue, yesterday afternoon drove her electric automobile across the pavement, over the curbing at a bound and coming to a stop in the entrance of Giddings Brothers dry goods store, in the midst of a crowd of excited shoppers. In the machine with Mrs. Hayes was her daughter, Mrs. Gerald B. Webb, who had turned on the power without informing her mother. When Mrs. Hayes released the brake, and before she could gain control of the steering apparatus, the car made a plunge toward another machine directly in front of it. Rather than risk a collision, Mrs. Hayes turned the machine toward the building, clearing a wide path among the pedestrians, who ran out of the way when they saw the car coming across the sidewalk. No one was injured, and the car was undamaged.

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CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

Interesting Program Given in Miners Hall, Pikeview.

A Christmas entertainment was given in the Miners hall at Pikeview by the pupils of the Pikeview and Curtis schools, Saturday afternoon. At the close of the program Santa Claus appeared and distributed presents. Those that took part in the program are as follows: Raymond Devine, May Strechan, Ernest Hobbs, Thelma Miller, [illegible], Nahnie Dalrymple, Rosa Hoobs, Elmer Kentfield, Mary Williams, Annie Howells, Minnie Kentfield, William Kelly, Maggie Howells, Amy Shy, Willie McKenzie, Dannie Howells, Blanche Ferguson, Lillie Howells, James Lyons and the primary pupils. The pupils and teachers of the Curtis and Pikeview schools are grateful to Miss Henry and the pupils of her school for the assistance they rendered.

GIVEN UP TO DIE.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking [illegible] I was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers.

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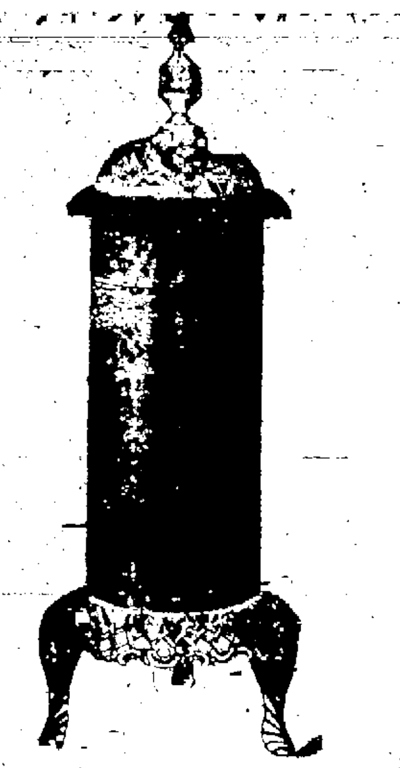

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H. C. Kingman has sold to John T. Grubb a ranch of [illegible] near Falcon. Mrs. Grubb will move the family to that place and start a chicken ranch, but Mr. Grubb will remain in this city, where he is in charge of the cement block factory. Mr. Kingman has also sold a five-room cottage at 21 Washington avenue to C. Frame for $1,50[illegible].

Patrick Kane, aged 34 years, died yesterday at his home, 606 Main street. The funeral will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from the St. Mary's Catholic church [illegible]. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery. Mr. Kane was a laborer and [illegible] was [illegible].

Mrs. Marguerite [illegible] is spending the holidays in [illegible] city with her sister, Mrs. W. S. McN[illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Melv[illegible] of Denver are guests of Mr. [illegible] over Christmas.

The funeral of [illegible] will be held from St. Mary's [illegible]. Interment [illegible] Evergreen cemetery.

The Sunday school of the First Congregational church will [illegible] Christmas [illegible] this evening at the church. [illegible] program [illegible] recitations, music and [illegible] cantata, "A Message of Jo[illegible]" [illegible] Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hallig[illegible] will entertain the following [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Keys, Mr. [illegible] Smith, Miss Jessie [illegible], Ad[illegible], Fred Kistler and [illegible] Palmer.

[illegible] Colorado [illegible] Colorado Springs [illegible].

Colorado City News

William Wilson and Robert Scott were each fined $5 and costs in police court yesterday for being intoxicated.

J. J. Murphy, an employe of the Golden Cycle mill, was fined $[illegible] and costs in police court yesterday morning for being drunk.

A line of confectionery [illegible] at C. M. Sherman's.

J. Gore of Colorado Springs [illegible] arrested on the [illegible] last night [illegible] Saturday evening for raising a disturbance with a gun. He was placed on bond of $20 but failed to appear in court yesterday.

Miss Genevieve Mauldinney of Salt Lake City is visiting her sister, Mrs. Agnes Mauldinney, 909 [illegible] avenue.

St. Mary's Catholic church will celebrate mass tomorrow morning at 6, 8 and 10:30 o'clock. At 10:30 mass an elaborate program will be given. At 8 o'clock in the evening the children's choir will sing some carols.

The funeral of Miss Louisa Watson, who died at her home, corner of Ninth street and Jefferson avenue, [illegible] will be held at 2:30 o'clock [illegible] from the [illegible] residence. The

Rev. Clark Bowers will officiate. Interment will be in the [illegible] city cemetery, in the Masonic [illegible] where Miss Watson's brothers and sisters are buried.

Mrs. J. P. Bates of 226 Colorado avenue was given a surprise party Saturday evening by the Women of Woodcraft. The ladies each brought Mrs. Bates a silk square for a quilt and embroidered their names on the squares.

At the First Baptist church this evening the Sunday school will have its Christmas entertainment. Each class will contribute different articles of

LABOR UNIONS ARE TYRANNICAL

Unsanctified Organizations Are Scored by Rev. Dr. Jennings

CINCINNATI, O. [illegible] The greatest tyranny [illegible] is the tyranny of an unsanctified labor union, declared Rev. Dr. Jennings, head of the Western Book Concern of the Methodist Episcopal church.

In some places [illegible] Dr. Jennings there is a belief [illegible] the part of the

[illegible] JONES,
President of the New Colored Y. M. C. A. of This City.

working man that the church is prejudiced against him. This is not so. This idea originated largely from the hoarse mouthings of anarchistic agitators and from those who spend $1,000 a year in saloons and not a cent in church. Hardly anything more than such a [illegible] ception can be expected from those who hold their meetings on Sunday in [illegible].

"The wage question has been crowded to the limit," Dr. Jennings declared. "If this thing keeps on much further the breaking point will certainly be reached.

"Why, brethren, I could tell you things that have happened [illegible] in this book concern within [illegible] that would [illegible]. [illegible] eight-hour work is [illegible] hard on the working man [illegible]. [illegible] I tell [illegible] that things are [illegible] hard in this country. [illegible] to be a limit.

"If the workingman does not go to church, it is because [illegible] days [illegible] want to go to church [illegible], that he goes [illegible] day [illegible] when he gets his [illegible] day for [illegible] he has to work all day [illegible]. It is the [illegible] than pays that [illegible].

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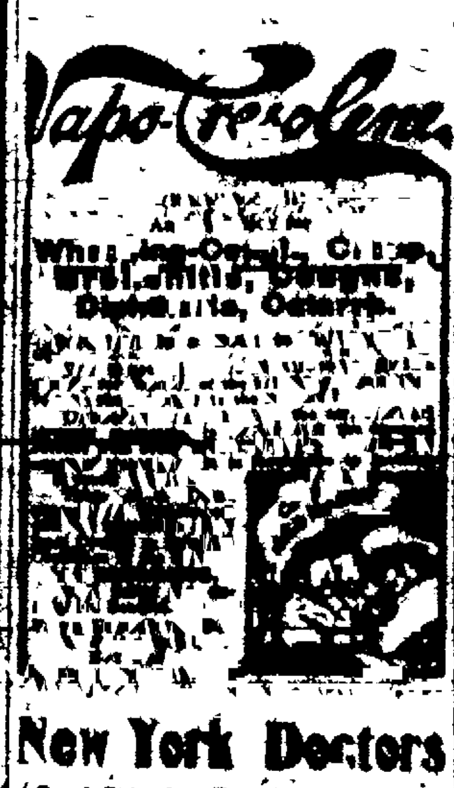

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Sandstorm	21	22
Col. Mt.	17	18
Jumbo Ext.	56	57
Vernal	06	..
Pennsylvania	..	02
Kendall	11	12
Booth	18	20
Blue Bull	15	16
Adams	05	07
Silver Pick	25	26
Nevada Boy	03	04
Black Butte Ext.	03	..
Blue Bell	07	..
Dixie	04	06
Goldfield Columbia	03	..
Hibernia	05	06
[illegible]	40	41
Conqueror	04	05
Black Rock	02	..
Lone Star	09	10
G. Wonder	..	03
Oro	09	10
Kendall Ext.	..	03
Sandstorm Ext.	03	..
Mayne	02	..
Atlanta	27	28
Great Bend	27	28
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Empire	04	..
Red Top Ext.	12	13
Florence	3.65	3.67½
D'field B. B. Cons.	15	..
Goldfield Daisy	84	85
Commonwealth	..	10
Comb. Fraction	73	75
Great Bend Ext.	05	..
Great Bend Annex	03	..
Milltown	..	23
B. B. Bonanza	02	03
Kewanos	..	26
Esmeralda	..	15
Portland	08	09
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[illegible]	..	19
[illegible]	11	..
[illegible]	06	..
[illegible] Boy	01	02
[illegible]	02	..
[illegible]	..	07
[illegible] Nut	08	..
Yellow [illegible]	..	08
[illegible]	04	..

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Ruby Wonder	..	10
Nevada Hills Florence	..	05
Alps of Wonder	..	04

SPECULATORS UNEASY

YEAR-END REQUIREMENTS CAUSE OF MUCH ANXIETY.

[illegible] of [illegible] Centered Almost Exclusively on the Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The tightening of the money market today gave unmistakable warning to the speculative element of the necessity of caution in using borrowed funds. The warning was heeded and the market lapsed into a condition of semistagnation in consequence. The rise in the [illegible], while exerting a restraining influence on the market, did not seem to force any large amount of selling of stocks directly. The selling was ascribed for the most part to professional operators, who bought last week in anticipation of the good bank statement, but who were disappointed at the paucity of the outside demand attracted into the market today.

Attention centered almost exclusively on the money market, and it was concluded that the large recuperation effected by the banks last week had not yet put them into any position to discontinue the process of renovation in view of the still existing deficit of $31,751,000 below the legal requirement.

The completion of this process of restoration is now regarded as essential to dissipate the continued reluctance of the interior banks to take up normal banking relations again. There are unusual large requirements to be met, in any event, by the New York banks in connection with the annual settlements. While the larger profits indicated by the record total of $184,655,000 in dividends payable in January, are matters for encouragement and promise for a good reinvestment in the straightened condition of the money market. There are extraordinary requirements besides to be met on January 1, including $11,625,000 for subscriptions to new Northern Pacific stock, $9,147,000 for new New York, New Haven & Hartford stock, and $9,000,000 for American Telephone bonds.

Another contingency of the coming week is the expiration of the 60-day period of notices of withdrawals required by savings banks during the banking flurry in New York during the latter part of October. It is known that many of the notices of withdrawals given at that time have since been rescinded and some of the banks have lifted the requirement in the meantime and permitted such withdrawals as were sought. Nevertheless, it is probable that some degree of preparedness will be looked to with the expiration of the period of the withdrawal notices. The narrowing of the supply of funds to loan on call is thus seen to be amply accounted for and, in fact, occasioned no surprise. The closing of a bank in Atlanta and notice of assistance to be rendered, after investigation by the clearing house to a bank in New Orleans, made a bad impression.

There is some anxiety over the outlook for the movement of fiscal operations, the decline in the revenue pointing to the early necessity for the use by the government of some of the funds on deposit with the national banks. One feature of the tenacious hold of interior banks upon their cash resources is the continued scarcity of New York exchange, and the large number of checks on interior banks, which are sent to New York merchants and jobbers. The money stringency caused a downward plunge in the sterling exchange rate and more gold was engaged in London for imports. The taking of the dividend from the price of New York Central was followed by special weakness which seemed to imply distrust of the maintenance of the dividend rate. Reports of intended reductions in prices of steel products after January 1 were a depressing factor.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,306,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Cotton Oil	28½	28½	28½	28½
Am. Sugar	100¼	100¼	99¾	99½
Am. Locomotive	38	38	37½	37¼
Am. Smelter	73¼	73¼	71½	71½
Am. Car Fdry.	30½	30½	30½	30½
Atchison	71½	71½	70½	70½
Atchison pfd.	86	86	85½	85½
Anaconda	28	28	27½	28
Am. Copper	47¼	47¼	45¾	45¾
B. R. Transit	39½	39½	38⅛	38¼
Bal. & Ohio	82½	82½	82	82
C., M. & St. P.	104	104½	103⅛	103⅜
C. & N. W.	135	135	135	135
Ches. & Ohio	30¼	30¼	30½	30¼
C. F. & I.	19	19	18⅝	18⅝
D. & R. G.	20½	20½	20	20
D. & R. G. pfd.	58½	58½	58½	58½
Distillers Sec.	29¼	29½	28	28
Erie	17	17	17	17
Great North. pfd.	117½	117½	115¼	115¼
Gen. Electric	114	114	110½	110½
Greene Cananea	6	6	5⅞	5⅞
Illinois Central	123	123	123	123
L. & N.	92½	92½	91½	91½
M. K. & T.	25½	25½	25½	25¼
M. K. & T. pfd.	56	56	55½	55½
Mex. Central	14½	15	14½	14½
Missouri Pac.	48½	49	48	48
N. Y. Central	94	94	91½	91½
N. Y. Con. Gas	96	96	96	96
Northern Pac.	116⅜	117½	116⅜	115½
People's Gas	79½	79½	78¼	78½
Pennsylvania	112	112⅛	111⅜	111⅜
Pacific Mail	27⅛	28½	27⅛	28
Reading	94½	95	93½	93½
Southern Pac.	73½	74	72½	72½
Union Pacific	118½	118½	117¼	117¼
U. S. Steel	26½	26½	25½	25¾
U. S. Steel pfd.	88½	88½	87½	87½
Utah Copper	17½	17½	17½	17½
Western Union	56½	56½	56½	56½

Money closed, offered 6 per cent.

Total sales, 232,900.

NEW YORK MONEY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Money on call strong and higher, 6@25 per cent; ruling rate, 25 per cent; closing bid, offered at 8 per cent. Time loans quiet and firm; sixty days, 12 to 15 per cent; ninety days, 10 to 12 per cent; six months, 8 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 7@8 per cent. Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers' bills at 485.00@485.10 for demand and at [illegible] for sixty day bills.

Commercial bills, 479.

Bar silver, 54¾; Mexican dollars, 41.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

COTTON MARKET.

Furnished by Otis & Hough, bankers and brokers.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	11.06	11.06	11.00	11.01
Jan.	10.42	10.44	10.30	10.32
March	10.36	10.38	10.31	10.36
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—Cotton [illegible], with prices [illegible] points [illegible] middling, [illegible].

WHEAT MARKET DULL

LOWER PRICES AT LIVERPOOL HAVE EFFECT.

[illegible] in [illegible] Corn, Oats and Provisions All Lower.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Lower prices at Liverpool had a depressing effect today on the local wheat market, the May delivery closing at a net loss of 1 1-8@1 1-2; corn was off 1-4, oats were 1-4 lower; provisions were down 5 to 10.

Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish all day and the volume of business [illegible]. [illegible] weak and prices failed to advance above the initial quotation. The principal reason of the decline was a slump of 1-2d. at Liverpool, caused by reports of good harvesting weather in Argentina, and by the world's shipments for the week, the total movement being 8,480,000 bushels, against 8,080,000 bushels last week. The market closed weak and near the lowest point. May wheat opened at an extreme decline of 1 1-8@1 1-4 at $1.05 3-4, to $1.05 7-8, sold off to $1.04 7-8 and closed at $1.05.

Primary receipts were 1,656,000 bushels, against incomplete returns one year ago.

The corn market opened weak because of lower cables, large local receipts and the decline in wheat. Later the market became firm because of a good demand for cash corn, and held firm until the close. May opened 1-4 to 1-2 lower at 57 3-8 to 57 5-8, advanced to 58 1-8 and closed at 57 3-4. Local receipts were 450 cars with 26 contract grade.

Oats were weak all day. A slight rally took place in sympathy with corn, but later prices fell off on moderate selling of the May option. May opened 3-8 lower at 53 3-8, advanced to 53 7-8@54, and then declined to 53. The close was 53 1-2. Local receipts were 302 cars.

The provision market was inclined to be weak on the selling of lard by packers. This offset a 10c advance in live hogs. At the close, May pork was off 10 at $13.12 1-2; lard was down 7 1-2 at $7.85; ribs were 5c lower at $7.97 1-2.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	97⅞	99	97⅝	97⅞
May	105¼	105⅞	104⅞	104⅞
July	98¼	99⅛	97⅝	97⅝
Corn—				
Dec.	57¼	57¾	57¼	57¼
May	57½	58⅛	57⅜	57¾
July	56⅜	57	56½	56⅜
Oats—				
Dec.	49⅝	49⅝	48¾	48⅝
May	53⅞	53⅞	53	53⅛
July	47⅜	47½	47⅛	47⅛
Pork—				
Jan.	12.72	12.72	12.65	12.65
May	13.25	13.27	13.12	13.12

EASTERN LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Receipts about 13,000; market 10c higher. Beeves, $3.45@6.30; cows and heifers, $1.20@4.70; Texans, $3.15@3.90; calves, $4.75@7.00; westerns, $3.30@4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.35@4.30.

Hogs—Receipts about 28,000; market 10@15c higher. Light, $4.35@4.75; mixed, $4.40@4.80; heavy, $4.40@4.80; roughs, $4.40@4.45; pigs, $3.75@4.65; bulk of sales, $4.55@4.70.

Sheep—Receipts about 12,000; market 10c higher. Natives, $2.75@4.25; westerns, $1.75@4.30; yearlings, $4.30@5.20; lambs, $3.65@6.10; western, $3.75@6.10.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 23.—Cattle—Receipts 2,000, including 100 southerns; market 10c higher. Native steers, $4.00@5.50; southern steers, $3.50@4.25; southern cows, $2.00@3.10; native cows and heifers, $2.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@3.10; bulls, $2.25@3.50; calves, $3.00@6.50; western steers, $3.50@4.75; western cows, $2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts 6,000; market 10c higher. Bulk of sales, $4.45@4.60; heavy, $4.45@4.65; packers, $4.45@4.60; pigs and light, $4.00@4.60.

Sheep—Receipts 3,000; market strong. Muttons, $3.75@4.50; lambs, $5.00@5.40; range wethers, $3.45@4.45; fed ewes, $3.25@4.10.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Receipts 1,200, including 400 Texans; market steady to strong. Beef steers, $3.00@5.85; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.90; cows and heifers, $2.75@4.85; Texas steers, $2.65@5.00; cows and heifers, $1.50@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts 4,800; market 25c higher. pigs and lights, $4.50@4.80; packers, $4.25@4.85; butchers and best heavy, $4.50@4.90.

Sheep—Receipts 500; market strong. Natives, $3.00@5.10; lambs, $4.00@6.00.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 23.—Close—Wheat, ½@1c lower. May, 99⅛c; July, 90¾; cash, No. 2, hard, 96@99½c; No. 3, 94@98c; No. 2, red, 95½@97½c; No. 3, 94@96c.

Corn unchanged. May, 52⅛c; July, 52¼c; cash, No. 2, mixed, 50¼@51c; No. 3, 50¼@51c; No. 2, white, 51@51¼c; No. 3, 51@51¼c.

Oats unchanged. No. 2, white, 49c; No. 2, mixed, 48c.

Rye, 75@80c.

Hay unchanged. Choice timothy, $12.00@12.50; choice prairie, $9.00@9.50.

Butter steady. Creamery, 23@27½c; packing, 15c.

Eggs 1c lower; fresh, 24c.

Receipts, wheat, 146 cars.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Lead steady, $3.65@3.90. Lake copper firm, $13.37½@14.00. Silver, 53¾.

WOOL MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—Wool steady; territory and western mediums, 20@22c; fine medium, 18@21c; fine, 14@17.

CHINESE SARCASM.

From the New York Press.

[illegible] a white man will [illegible] a Chinaman who has some of the wit of Mr. Wu. One such has a laundry on Lexington avenue, not far from Twenty-third street. The other day I heard him yell at a recalcitrant customer: "You no pay? Then you paper tiger!" I asked what he meant by a "paper tiger," and he replied: "Oh, in China a paper tiger is blackguard who blows much [illegible] is [illegible]." He added: "When a man is very proud of himself, what Americans call 'stuck up,' we compare to a rat falling into a scale and weighing himself. When a Chinaman overdoes a thing we say he is a hunchback making a bow. The rich son who quickly spends his father's money we call a rocket which goes off at once. We say of you rich Americans who send money to heathens by missionaries and neglect their family at home, 'They hang their lanterns on a pole, which is seen from afar, but gives no light below.'"

Favorite Evening Dummy Train [illegible] 6:15 p. m. via Rio Grande. Dining car service a la carte.

BOND AND LEASE FILED

VINDICATOR SECURES VALUABLE PROPERTY.

Several Bull Hill Claims Are Let by C. O. D. Company—Vindicator in Good Condition.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 23.—A bond and lease has been filed with the county clerk and recorder whereby the C. O. D. Gold Mining company grants a lease for a period of 12 months, and fixes the size of the bond in the sum of $20,000 on the following property, which is located on Bull hill: Lulu A lode, United States survey No. 8,583; Rosario and Mollie Noble claims No. 8,596; Vindicator and C. O. D. No. 2 claims, survey No. 8,596, and Spring Day lode United States survey No. 12,-971. This bond and lease has been given to the Vindicator Consolidated Gold Mining company.

This property is located in the vicinity of the Vindicator holdings, and a portion of it adjoins one of the Vindicator claims. The property is considered to be valuable, but particularly so to the Vindicator company, which holds large acreage between the towns of Independence and Goldfield.

The Vindicator is reported to be shipping about 1,500 tons of ore a month, and the average grade is a trifle less than two ounces. At the present dividend rate of 18 cents per annum, and the present price of the Vindicator stock the rate of interest on a dollar invested exceeds 15 per cent. It is stated on the very best of authority that the Vindicator has enough ore in sight, without doing another foot of development work, to keep the property paying 12 cents per annum for a decade. When the company is enabled to get below the present water level, the tonnage can then easily be doubled and tripled if desired, without inconvenience. The Vindicator company is practically a close corporation, as the stock is in the hands of a very few men, and all of them are Denver and Colorado capitalists. This property is undoubtedly one of the first rank in the Cripple Creek district, and but little information is vouchsafed by any of the officials.

COLORADO SPRINGS STOCK QUOTATIONS

LISTED.

	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	06¾	06¾
C. C. Con.	08½	08¾
C. K. & N.	06	07
Dante	05¾	06¾
Dr. Jack Pot	06¾	06¾
Elkton	46	48
El Paso	27	27½
Fanny Rawlins	05	06
Findley	38	40
Gold Dollar	05¼	05½
Gold Sovereign	04¼	04½
Index	02	03
Isabella	23	23¼
Jack Pot	03½	04
Last Dollar	..	05
Lexington	01½	02¾
Mary Cashen	..	03
Mary McKinney	30	33
Mollie Gibson	..	05
Moon A.	01¾	03
Old Gold	02¾	03½
Pharmacist	02½	03
Portland	[illegible]	1.01½
Prince A.	006	02
Vindicator	72	78
Work	13¼	14

UNLISTED.

	Bid	Ask.
Golden Cycle	40	..
Jennie Sample	..	04
Jerry Johnson	05	08
U. G. M.	04½	05

PROSPECTS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Agnes	..	02½
Banner	01½	01¾
Blue B.	02	..
Bob Lee	006	01
Buckhorn	0075	0085
C. C. & M.	..	02
Coriolanus	..	03
Creede	006	02
Des Moines	..	01½
Gold Bond	01	01½
Gould	..	02
Hart	01	02¾
Ida May	01	02¼
Jolly Jane	..	04
Keystone	01	01½
Little Bessie	..	02
Little Nell	009	02
Litle Puck	01	01½
Mary Nevin	01½	02¾
Mt. Beauty	06	07½
New Haven	005	01
Pilgrim	01	..
Princess	006	02
Raven	01	01¼
Republic	008	01½
Requa S.	02½	04
Robt. Burns	01	01½
Rose Maud	01¾	02½
Rose Nicol	..	02
St. Thomas	01	01½
Teutonic	01¾	02

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Anchor	..	003
Black Wonder	..	005
Blanche	003	..
Cable Con.	005	..
Colorado G. C.	..	008
Easter Bell	..	005
Fauntleroy	..	02
Favorite	..	006
Flower of West	005	01
[illegible]	..	..
Goldfield	..	01
Gold Hill	..	008
Goldstone	..	005
Grace	..	006
Greater G. B.	..	008
Hayden Gold	..	006
Hummer	..	008
Key West	..	008
Kimberly	..	005
Kitty	..	008
Lucrative	007	02
Marion	..	01
Matoa	..	008
Mariposa	006	01
Marquette	..	..
Missouri	006	01
Montreal	002	01
National	001	01
Nellie V.	0005	..
O. K.	..	003
Olive Branch	003	003
Palace	..	005
Pinnacle	003	01
Pointer	..	003
Progress	002	003
Pythias	004	01
Red Spruce	004	005
Tenderfoot	003	..
Texas Girl	..	..
Uncle Sam	..	005
Volcano	..	..
Wide Awake	001	..

[illegible] SALES.

MINES—C. C. Con., 1,000 at 8¾; Dante, 1,000 at 6½; [illegible], 1,000 at 27, 1,000 at 27; Isabella, 500 at 23; [illegible] Gold, 1,000 at 3¼; Work, 1,000 at 11.

GOOD GRADE OF ORE SHIPPED

Lessee Hammond Is Sending Out Several Cars a Week From the Morning Glory.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 23.—Lessee Hammond, who has a lease near the electric car line on one of the Morning Glory claims on Raven hill, is shipping out several cars of ore a month, and the grizzlies and screenings are giving returns of a little better than two ounces. The coarse rock is considerably less than these figures, however. The ore is being mined on the 300-foot level, where a vein approximately four feet wide, has been uncovered. The rock shows considerable sylvanite, and if broken narrower, the values could easily be pushed to three ounces.

On the same hill, Messrs. Ridpath and Hodgson have a lease on Morning Glory No. 1. At a depth of about 50 or 60 feet, these lessees uncovered a fine-looking vein, and for about 10 days had some exceptionally fine ore, but it pinched out, and they are now driving a crosscut in the belief that the ore shoot has faulted.

There is any amount of work being done in this locality, and the tonnage from this portion of Raven hill is very heavy and the grade of ore is much better than the average grade from the camp.

WILL RUN $30 TO THE TON

Ore Shipped From Bison-Pinto Claims Is of Good Grade.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 23.—J. O. A. Carper, who holds a lease on the entire holdings of the Free Coinage group, and who is subleasing portions of the property, has billed out two cars of ore from the Bison-Pinto claims. The ore is expected to give returns of about $30 in gold to the ton, and it was mined at a depth of 200 feet from a vein which is nearly four feet wide. The total tonnage from this property is now about 10 cars of ore a month. The Free Coinage company recently held its annual meeting and re-elected the same officers who have been in control for the past four or five years.

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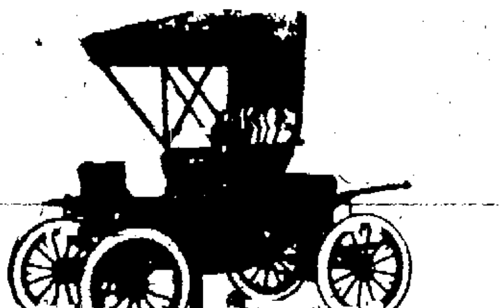

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WANTED ... [illegible]

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WANTED—A ... [illegible] ... White ... N. Tejon St.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

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WANTED

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WANTED ... [illegible] ... Kiowa St. ... Phone Red 181.

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DR. M. DIAS ... [illegible]

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LOST.

LADY'S Arnold wheel, dark red, chain guard broken, taken from front porch ... N. Wahsatch Ave. Saturday night. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

BLACK pocketbook containing $5 bill, loose change and Y. M. C. A. towel ticket, name in flap. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

LOST—Monday morning on Wahsatch ... between Wilbur's and Wulff-Sullivan Shoe Co., a diamond brooch with pin broken from it. Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—Brown leather pocketbook, in Hardy's or at Walling's or between, containing sum of money. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Set of dull black German agate beads graduated. Return to 225 N. Institute for reward.

LOST—Package containing photographs. Return to Gazette. Reward.

BIG sale of new and second hand bicycles. W. I. Lucas, 119 N. Tejon.

DRESSMAKING.

FIRST-CLASS seamstress desires sewing; reasonable prices to introduce work. Phone Blue 611.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE COLORADO BRICK AND ARTIFICIAL STONE COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Colorado Brick and Artificial Stone Company is called to be held on Saturday the 28th day of December 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of the company at Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado, for the purpose of considering and taking action upon a proposition to amend the Articles of Incorporation of the said company, authorizing an increase in the capital stock of the said company from $150,000 to $...,000, such increase to be issued as preferred stock and the present outstanding stock to be changed to ... stock, and for the purpose of considering and taking action upon a proposition to amend the Articles of Incorporation of the said company authorizing the cancellation of two-thirds of the present authorized capital stock, to-wit: $100,000 thereof, and changing the same into preferred stock of ... amount, and the remaining one-third of the ... authorized capital, to-wit, $50,000, into ... stock, and for the purpose of considering and taking action upon a proposition for liquidating the ... [illegible] ... stock in lieu of the bonds or other evidences of ... [illegible]

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To the ... of the ... GOLD MINING COMPANY: ... LEXINGTON GOLD MINING COMPANY ... [illegible]

LOST.

LOST Between D. & R. G. depot and Elk hotel, lady's red leather purse containing 2 round trip tickets Carroll, Ia., to San Diego, Cal., also 2 local checks and some money. Finder may have money and will get $5 more if returned to Gazette.

LOST ... green veil and gold ... shoe stick pin, green sets, between Vaudeville and viaduct. Please return to 316 W. Cucharas and receive reward.

LOST—Parcel containing four ladies handkerchiefs, between Pikes Peak Ave. and Monument on west side of Tejon St. Reward at Gazette.

LOST Money by not buying your books and box stationery at McCauley's, 134 E. Cucharas. Magazine combinations $5.00 for $4.00.

LOST—Gold bracelet ... setting between Peltz's store and 400 block on Weber south. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Thursday noon, a green enamel and gold pin engraved P. F. T. S. Reward for return to 727 E. Columbia.

ON Nov 8th between Manitou and Colorado Springs or in Manitou, a ... breastpin with pearl setting in shape of ribbon scroll, blue enamel edges. Liberal reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Between town and Nordrach ranch, pocketbook containing $10 bill and $4 in silver. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

LOST—Gray squirrel scarf, chenille tassels, between Wahsatch and Cucharas or Pike's Peak and Tejon. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Monday night, at Perkins hall or between there and 800 N. Wahsatch, a round brooch set with brilliants. Return to Gazette office. Reward.

LOST—Two $5 bills somewhere between Ackerman's or People's Grocery and 21 S. Weber. Reward for return to Gazette office.

LOST—Lady's gold watch and fob between Kaufman's and 812 S. Sahwatch. Initials M. W. on both. Reward if returned to Gazette.

LOST—Pair long black kid gloves, size 6½, between 8th St., Washington Ave. and the viaduct. Return to Gazette. Reward.

LADY'S dark hand bag containing money and small articles between Huerfano and Cucharas on Tejon St. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Small black purse containing between $2 and $4 and a latch key. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

LOST Package containing dresser scarf and $1 bill. Finder please return scarf to Gazette. May keep the $1.

A FOX TERRIER with collar. Finder return to or address 6 N. 17th St. and get reward.

LOST Gent's wheel, color red, Goodrich tire on front wheel, Continental tire on rear. Return to 529 N. Nevada.

LOST Black purse containing check for $9, currency and silver. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Pair rimless gold bowed glasses in ladies toilet room of court house. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Gold ring, bloodstone set, between 12th St. and Empire, and between Empire and skating rink. Reward this office.

LADY'S handkerchief with tatting border in business section, Friday. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—... auto gloves ... Denver ... Thursday, 20th. Reward for return to 210 N. Tejon.

LOST—Gold watch chain, silver knife attached, ... Masonic charm, name of owner on back. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Between Cucharas and Bijou streets on Tejon, a small cane, monogram R. W. on handle. Please leave at Gazette office.

LOST—Tuesday a. m., a long bar silver pin with dog's head, reward for return to Gazette office.

THE party that borrowed my astrachan cape please return to 822 Pikes Peak. Mrs. A. L. Call.

LOST—Scotch Collie. Reward if returned to address on collar.

LOST—Red leather pocketbook, containing 2 $20 bills. Reward at Gazette Office.

LOST—Black monkey fur collar, on Weber street, between Uintah and Cache la Poudre. Return to Gazette. Reward.

LOST—A lady's small gold cell ring, turquoise set, Saturday evening. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

LOST—Thoroughbred Llewellyn setter; black with white spots, black ears. Return to 1226 N. Weber.

LADY'S purse containing sum of money, between ... drug store and ... block, on Cascade. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Pair eyeglasses, gold frame, at or near postoffice, Friday evening. Please return to Gazette office and get reward.

LOST—Man's plain gold ring. Reward if returned to Gazette.

LOST—Child's gold bracelet, Dec. 9th. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

LOST—New lady's shoe. Reward if returned to Gazette.

LOST Black ... store. Reward ... office.

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MADAM MAY ... will be pleased to visit all ... ing a specialty. 207 N. Tejon.

MRS. SAMPSON, noted psychic, has returned ... daily; meetings ... Pike's Peak ... upstairs.

MRS. THOMPSON, clairvoyant ... 50c ... hours 9 to 9 ...

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FOUR ROOM house rented for auto ... Leaving town. 412 Mining Exchange.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

DENVER AND RIO GRANDE.

Effective Nov. 10th, 1907.

City Ticket Office 16 N. Tejon

Phone Main 96.

West Side Depot

SOUTH AND WEST BOUND

No.	To	Leave.
5	Salt Lake and Pacific Coast	12:52 am
7	Salt Lake and Pacific Coast	11:.. am
9	Mo. Pac., Canon City & St. L.	4:20 pm
11	Pueblo	6:.. pm
3	Glenwood, S. Lake & Pac. Cst.	9:.. pm
7	Alamosa, Durango	10:.. pm
15	Salida and Leadville	11:.. pm

NORTH AND EAST BOUND

No.	From	Leave
16	Leadville, Ouray, Alamosa etc.	4:.. am
8	Pueblo	9:15 am
6	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	10:.. am
10	Pueblo and ...	4:.. pm
2	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	4:.. pm
14	Pueblo	4:15 pm
4	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	7:.. pm

Trains to Manitou		Arrive from Manitou	
43	7:30 am	41	8:50 am
45	11:00 am	44	11:40 am
47	4:30 pm	46	5:15 pm

SANTA FE.

November 17, 1907

Union Station, East Pike's Peak Ave.

NORTH FOR DENVER

No.		
7	Pueblo to Denver	4:.. am
12	From Colorado Midland	5:40 am
5	From Chicago and California	6:.. am
607	Denver Express	11:.. am
1	Pueblo to Denver	2:.. pm
601	From Pueblo and East	4:.. pm
3	Denver Express	6:15 pm
11	From Colorado Midland	7:15 pm

EAST BOUND AND CALIFORNIA.

No.		
606	For Chicago and Kan City	6:.. am
4	Pueblo Express	10:.. am
12	To Colorado Midland Ry	11:.. pm
2	For Pueblo	2:.. pm
602	California Lim. and Chicago	... pm
6	For Chicago, K. C., El Paso	... pm
16	Denver to Pueblo	... pm
8	Denver to Pueblo	... am

C. C. HOYT

... E. Pike's Peak Ave. City P...

ROCK ISLAND LINES.

LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS

No.		
8	Rocky Mountain ... For Omaha and Chicago	10:.. am
6	Eastern Fast Mail, for Kansas City	1:.. pm
22	Southwest ... Kansas City, St. L... and Southeast	7:.. pm
6	Western ... Omaha and Chicago	... pm
5	For Pueblo	... am
41	For Pueblo	... pm

ARRIVE AT COLORADO SPRINGS

No.		
4	Colorado ... Chicago and Omaha	...
27	... Kan City and St. Louis, Southeast	...
5	Colorado ... Kansas City	11:..
7	Rocky Mountain Limited, from Chicago and Omaha	2:.. pm
5	From Pueblo	...
6	... Pueblo	...

All ... chair cars on all trains ...

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... Pike's Peak Avenue.

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119 East Pike's Peak Avenue

Phone Main 1..

Effective Sunday, Nov. 17th.

NORTHBOUND.

No.		
7	for Denver, Ft. ... Ft. Worth	...
13	for Denver	...
3	for Denver	...
607	for Denver	11:.. am
1	for Denver, Ft. ... Ft. Worth	...
601	for Denver	...
3	for Denver	...
11	for Denver	...

VIA ELBERT & ELIZABETH

No.		
17	for Denver, (Except Sunday)	...
23	for Denver (Sunday Only)	...

SOUTHBOUND

No.		
608	for Pueblo	...
4	for Pueblo	...
2	for Ft. Worth	...
602	for Pueblo	...
6	for Pueblo	...
2	for Ft. Worth	...

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(The Short Line)

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3—(Daily) Leave Colo. Springs	...	...
Arrive Cripple Creek	...	...

EAST BOUND.

4—(Daily) Leave Cripple Creek	...	...
Arrive Colorado Springs	...	...

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No. 3—For Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Salt Lake ...

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$10,000 Denver Gas and Electric Co. bonds 5's, to yield 6¼ per cent. The net earnings of this Company for November, 1907, were $53,000, and is $24,000 more than for the same month last year.
1,000 Colorado Springs Electric Co. bonds, 5's, to yield 6½ per cent.
3,000 Denver Tramway Co. bonds, 5's, due 1933, at 90 and interest.
... at par and interest.
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For Novelties in Xmas Goods See

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DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado College weather bureau for 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock p. m.

Temperature at 6 a. m.	41
Temperature at 12 m.	32
Temperature at 6 p. m.	36
Maximum temperature	47
Minimum temperature	28
Mean temperature	36
Max. bar. press., inches, 6 p. m.	24.20
Min. bar. press., inches, 6 a. m.	23.97
Mean vel. of wind per hour	11
Max. vel. of wind per hour, 10 p. m.	36
Relative humidity at noon	82
Dew point at noon	2
Precipitation in inches	0

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PLANTS—It is not too late to select good Christmas plants at Crump's, 509 East Columbia street, or phone Main 500.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT—An attractive Christmas program has been prepared by the M. E. church, South, for this evening. Everyone is cordially invited.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—Licenses to marry were issued yesterday at the county clerk's office to the following: George P. Desperance and Roseltha Myers, both of Denver; John Paulfrey and Mamie Warford, both of Colorado City; and W. H. Snelson of Denver and Ethel Brauer of Colorado Springs.

FUNERAL—The funeral services for Elizabeth Utter were held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Harwood, 1023 North Walnut street. Mrs. Utter is survived by four children, Mrs. A. C. Harwood and C. H. Utter of Colorado Springs; Mrs. S. K. Deverill of Billings, Mont., and Mrs. George P. Loper of Oshkosh, Wis., where the remains will be taken this evening over the Rock Island.

PROPERTY TRANSFER—Property belonging to the Gold Knob Mining company, consisting of town lots in Goldfield, the Cripple Creek district, and mining land adjoining the Theresa and Golden Cycle companies, has been transferred to the Colorado Title and Trust company of this city. At the offices of Bonbright and company it was stated that the deal was a formality necessary to protect interests of stockholders at the present time. The consideration named is $4,070.90.

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ANNUAL DINNER—The annual dinner of the Colorado Polytechnic society will be held at the Antlers hotel on Saturday evening, December 28. Following the dinner, an address will be given on "The Gold Fields of Nome Region" by Dr. George I. Finlay, who spent last summer in Alaska in connection with the work of the United States geological survey. All members desiring tickets should communicate with the treasurer, Ira A. Miller, manager Power company, or with the secretary, George J. Lyon, at Palmer hall.

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Today's economy news

GIDDINGS BROS — Xmas goods must go

Tables full of novelties at a third off

Dozens of dainty Xmas gifts on the center tables in the south aisle to be closed out before 9 o'clock tonight. There are pretty boxes of satin and sateen covered card boxes, holders and fancy novelties so nice for gift giving.

Silver and gold jewelry cases, ink stands, pen holders, calendars, etc., etc., all go today at a third off.

Noteworthy toyland specials

All 1.00 Daisy air rifles for	50c
75c Reval chimes for	50c
1.00 Reval chimes for	65c
25c Granite dishes going for	15c
50c Granite dishes going for	35c
65c Granite dishes going for	45c
1.00 Granite dishes going for	75c
1.25 Granite dishes going for	95c

Teddy bears

65c Teddy Bears for	50c
75c Teddy Bears for	60c
$1.25 Teddy Bears for	95c
$1.75 Teddy Bears for	$1.35
$2.00 Teddy Bears for	$1.45
$2.50 Teddy Bears for	$1.95
$6.00 Teddy Bears for	$4.25

Magic lanterns

25c Magic Lanterns for	17c
50c Magic Lanterns for	33c
$1.50 Magic Lanterns for	$1.00
$2.25 Magic Lanterns for	$1.50
$3.50 Magic Lanterns for	$2.33
$4.00 Magic Lanterns for	$2.67
$8.50 Magic Lanterns for	$6.67

Imported dogs, cats, bears, horses, stuffed animals ¼ off

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$1.00 Trains for	65c
$1.50 Trains for	$1.15
$1.75 Trains for	$1.25
$2.75 Trains for	$2.00
$3.00 Trains for	$2.25
$4.00 Trains for	$3.00

Doll play houses

60c Doll Houses for	40c
$1.00 Doll Houses for	65c
$2.00 Doll Houses for	$1.25
$2.50 Doll Houses for	$1.95
$3.00 Doll Houses for	$2.00
$3.50 Doll Houses for	$2.65

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